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Pres. Coolidge Picks Gregory and Strawn

Former Attorney General In Wilson Cabinet and Republican Attorney To Probe Oil Lease Case.

Washington, Jan. 30.—While the senate approached a vote today on the naval oil lease annulment resolution, department of justice officials assembled information obtained through observation of testimony taken by the investigating committee for presentation to the counsel named by President Coolidge to act for the government in court proceedings.

Selection of S. H. Strawn of Chicago, Republican, and T. W. Gregory of Austin, Texas, an attorney general in the Wilson cabinet, as the special counsel, had relieved the pressure on the White House somewhat, but Secretary Denby, who signed the leases with former Secretary Fall and Attorney General Daugherty remained under fire in the senate.

WITHOUT ACTION.

A resolution by Representative Fairchild Republican, New York pending in the house proposes cancellation of the leases without court action, differing from the Walsh resolution before the senate which requests the president to institue proceedings in the courts to annul the leases and prosecute any persons found guilty of wrong doing.

Senate discussion of the Walsh resolution has been burdened with political debate centering chiefly around President Coolidge, Secretary Denby and Attorney General Daugherty.

MORE RESOLUTIONS.

A number of resolutions having to do with various phases of the oil questions continued to increase in the senate. Senator Wheeler, Democrat, Montana, introduced a resolution calling for the resignation of Attorney General Daugherty.

The resolution of Senator Robinson, Democrat, Arkansas, requesting the president to ask for the resignation of Secretary Denby, also awaits action. The navy head, announcing he did not intend to quit, has demanded a record vote.

Mr. Fall has been under federal surveillance since January 20, Senator Willis Ohio, announced.

STRAWN STARTS WORK.

Steps toward prosecution of the oil cases were begun today by Mr. Strawn, who conferred with the president and announced he would proceed immediately with his work. Organization matters will await the arrival of Mr. Gregory from Texas.

The only directions received from the president, Mr. Strawn said were to proceed in accordance with the executive's statement of Saturday midnight.

DEFINDS HARDING.

The Senate's debate on political features of the oil disclosures, after centering most of the day Tuesday, about Mr. Coolidge and members of his cabinet, finally brought into the discussion the name of President Harding. Defending Mr. Harding for transferring control of the reserves of the interior department, Senator Willis declared the dead President would not knowingly have violated any law, and the statement was accepted on the Democratic side.

Partisan charges and counter-charges also figured in a brief House debate centering around a request by Secretary Daniels during the Wilson administration for congressional approval of the drilling of offset wells in the naval reserves.

CALLED FRAUDULENT.

A resolution similar to that offered by Senator Caraway, Democrat, Arkansas, and proposing cancellation of the leases without going into the courts, was introduced by Representative Fairchild, Republican, New York. The resolution declares the leases to be "fraudulent and against the public interests."

SHARP REJOINDER.

This brought a sharp rejoinder from Senator Willis, who declared there were those in the Senate and out "who will prostitute an occasion of this kind for little, petty political purposes." Declaring that President Harding had made an error when he transferred the reserves from the navy to the interior department, Mr. Willis said he knew the dead President well enough to know that he never did anything which he thought was not for the good of the people.

"I cast no reflection on President Harding," said Senator Heflin, "I was fond of him. But the memory of a President passed the way that all of us must go cannot stifle the truth in this colossal fraud."

NEW RESOLUTION.

As the day's debate was concluded, Senator Walsh introduced the new resolution which would direct the secretary of the interior to institute immediate suits to assert title to sections 16 and 36 in naval reserve No. 1, in California, now held by the Standard Oil company of California.

Suits looking to regaining this title were once brought, but decisions adverse to the government were rendered in the lower courts and an appeal was not taken within the legal time limit. A move was made late in the Wilson administration to institute new court proceedings, and it has been charged in the course of the present investigation that former Secretary Fall dismissed the whole case upon an ex-parte hearing granted to counsel for the Standard Oil company, which received its lease from California state authorities.

AGAINST DAUGHERTY.

Another resolution, offered by Senator Wheeler, Democrat, Montana, has for its purpose, the removal from the cabinet of Atty.-Gen. Daugherty because of failure of the department of justice to begin prosecution both in the oil leases and against officials and others charged with wrongdoing in connection with the Veterans' Bureau investigation. The resolution went over under the rules.

UTTER DISREGARD.

The investigation into the leasing of oil reserves has shown clearly Senator Norris, Republican, Nebraska, asserted, that "from the beginning there has been an utter disregard" of the government policy as laid down by congress and of the laws enacted to carry out that policy. Violation of law as presented in the present instance, Senator Norris declared, eventually would lead to a rule by despots and tyrants.

There could be no doubt, he argues, that the leases and contracts made by Secretary Fall after the "illegal" transfer of Jurisdiction to him, were, "as void of legality as the original order of transfer.

McLEAN'S STATEMENT.

Turning to the testimony given before the investigating committee, he discussed the statements of E. B. McLean, Washington publisher. The testimony of Fall and McLean regarding the $100,000 loan by the publisher to the former secretary, was characterized by Mr. Norris as a "cock and bull story."

"It was an attempt of Fall to shield himself from further investigation which would show," senator Norris declared, "that he was a liar all the way through.

"WAS HUMILIATING."

"I have looked with humiliation," the senator continued, "upon the fact that so many of our officials have gone out of their way to hobnob with Mr. McLean. You know with what humiliation we looked when the president of the United States just elected to that office, came to Washington and made his home in this man's house."

DOCTORS MAKE REPORT.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Physicians attending A. B. Fall told the senate oil committee that he is in no condition to appear and testify.

The hearing was behind closed doors. It was learned that the doctors related how Mr. Fall has remained in his room continuously since his arrival Thursday night, had shown little if any improvement and had reached a stage of nervous exhaustion threatening collapse.

Committee members questioned the witnesses at length regarding the cause of this condition but the replies were not made public. The physicians insisted that it would be inadvisable under all circumstances to attempt to take the former interior secretary to the capitol for questioning.

While the physicians were being examined, E. L. Doheny arrived at the committee room with his attorney, Gavin McNabb.

THREE DOCTORS

The committee decided to appoint three disinterested doctors to examine Mr. Fall and report his exact condition.

Mr. Doheny was not heard by the committee which adjourned until Friday to receive the physician report.

DEMOCRAT CHIEFS WANT PROBE OF SHIPPING BOARD

Washington, Jan. 30 — Democratic leaders in the house announced today they would attempt to have a special committee appointed to investigate the affairs of the shipping board.

BRYAN ENTERS FRAY.

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 30.—W. J. Bryan thrust his penetrating lance into the Teapot Dome quiz here Tuesday.

"The Republican party is sitting over an oil fire," he said. "There is no telling whom it will scorch or where it will spread.

"It is the greatest sensation had in politics in a long long time.

TOLD IT WAS LEGAL.

Washington, 30—Rear Admiral Latimer, judge advocate general of the navy told the house naval committee today that in December 1921 he informed Secretary Denby it would be legal to enter into a contract with the Doheny interests for the construction of tankage at Pearl Harbor Hawaii, as a part of their lease to the California Naval Oil reserve.

He said he based his opinion on authority granted the department by congress in June, 1920, to exchange oil and provide storage facilities. This authority, it was brought out, was granted at the request of Josephus Daniels, then secretary of the navy.

COOLIDGE CHOOSES DEMOCRAT

THOMAS W. GREGORY.

Former Attorney General.

Thomas W. Gregory, attorney general in the Wilson cabinet, a Democrat, and S. H. Strawn of Chicago, Republican, have been selected by President Coolidge to act as special counsel in the Tea Pot Dome investigation.

GERMANY FREES LIEUT. GRIFFIS

American Who Attempted to Kidnap Bergdoll Is Released.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Lieut. C. H. Griffis, the American who attempted to kidnap Grover Cleveland Bergdoll in Germany has been released from prison by the German government, the state department was advised today.

U. S. SENTIMENT.

It is understood that the Berlin government acted after it had been informed of sentiment in the United States. Griffis will be returned at once to the United States.

The state department's cable from the Berlin embassy merely reported his release, adding that he would take first available transportation home.

WAS EXPECTED.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—Release of Lieut. C. H. Griffis from a German prison by a pardon of the German government, was confidentially expected today by the admirers of the American officer who was imprisoned for his attempt to kidnap Grover C. Bergdoll, notorious American slacker.

Belief that a pardon actually has been issued is held by Dr. J. W. Ball of Chicago, head of a citizens committee formed to urge the release of Griffis.

OFFICIAL SOURCE.

Dr. Hall announced he had received a telegram from an official German source saying Griffis would be freed today.

Dr. Hall's committee recently presented to the German ambassador a huge petition requesting that Griffis be released.

2,700,000 NAMES.

Chicago, Jan. 30—Cable information that Lieutenant C. H. Griffis had been released from a German prison was received today by Dr. J. W. Hall, head of a citizens committee which had been working for his release, soon after Washington was notified.

Dr. Hall's committee sent a petition 23 miles long bearing 2,700,000 names, to the German ambassador asking Griffis' release.

DEMOCRATIC WOMEN LAYING THEIR PLANS

Cleveland, O., Jan. 30— Democratic women from seven mid-western states, here for their "school of Democracy" were continuing efforts to formulate plans to bring victory to their party in 1924. The intricacies of party organization, methods of getting information to the voters and all the elements that go to make up a national campaign were being explained.

ARREST SUSPECT IN $1,000,000 THEFT

Boston, Jan. 30—Bert R. Chapman of this city surrendered to the federal authorities here Tuesday on an indictment returned by the federal grand jury in Los Angeles last October, charging him and 22 others with conspiracy in connection with a million dollar mail truck robbery in the California city, in March 1921. Chapman's arrest revealed that $300,000 worth of bonds stolen from the mails at that time have been recovered here.

CATCH NEGRO WITH SUSPICIOUS HAMS

Danville, Ill., Jan. 30—Police Tuesday night detained a negro and an auto truck loaded with hams, which he was attempting to sell to local merchants. It is believed they were stolen in Chicago.

PICK AIRPLANE TO MAKE POLAR TRIP

Mitchell Field, N. Y., Jan. 30—The Curtiss airplane C. S. 2 was declared fit to accompany the Shenandoah to the North Pole.

RESORT DENIES BEING 'COMMON'

Ultra Season Starts Friday, Then Ordinary Folks Must Leave.

BY ROBERT T. SMALL.

(Copyright, 1924.)

Palm Beach, Fla., Jan. 30.—Palm Beach has a grievance and the writer must hurry to set it straight. Palm Beach says it is not going to be democratic or a social melting pot any longer. It will be democratic only until Feb. 1. That is when the ultra season starts and by that time all those who do not "belong" must clear out.

They can go across the lake to West Palm Beach if they choose, but when the soial curfew tolls on Friday next no person without a rating in the blue book—or in Bradstreets—will be allowed on the island.

HAS STARTED.

The weeding out process has already begun. Many persons at the big hotels who had been settling themselves for a long winter's stay have suddenly discovered that their rooms are "engaged" from Feb. 1 for the remainder of the "season." No amount of protesting or coaxing on their part has any effect with the management.

Palm Beach has been run on a schedule for so many years that the thing has become inflexible. February 1 is the dividing line between the socially fit and unfit. If you are not acceptable there simply is no place for you to stay.

LINE STRICTLY DRAWN.

The line is drawn as strictly at the country club and other places on the island as at the hotels. The privileges of the clubs can be had by all fairly presentable persons until the February barrier goes up and then it is about as easy for the unwanted to get on a golf course around here as it would be for the proverbial camel to go through the eye of the proverbial needle.

And so the socially elect are at last beginning to arrive. For instance there is Mayor Hylan, of New York. The mayor is a regular winter visitor to Palm Beach, but he also waits until the "undesirables are pretty well thinned out before he makes his august presence felt.

MAYOR APPEARS.

The mayor has just put in his appearance. Pretty soon he will be joined by some other notables of New York politics, including John McCooey, the Democratic leader of Brooklyn, whom has been sojourning down Miama way. J. Sergeant Cram also is here and Grover Whalen, so Tammany may be said to be fairly well represented among the socially elect who are permitted to sojourn hereabouts in the recherche weeks of February.

It really is one of the most interesting social phenomena in all America the way the season is arranged here. January is a sort of off-month. It is the tuning up period. The cottages along the ocean front begin to open up but there is comparatively little entertaining. The season gains momentum slowly. Servants must be trained and managers got into high gear. The same is true at the hotels.

GERMAN WARES ARE FLOODING ENGLAND

London, Jan. 30—(AP)—There is today a new twist to the familiar expression "Made in Germany."

Under the English system of free trade, great quantities of cheap German manufactured products are dumped on the English market. To the casual purchaser during the rush of holiday shopping the words "Designed in England" meet the eye. In smaller print below, almost unreadable, was the regulation "Made in Germany" mark.

$6,913,252,000 IN 822 SAVING BANKS

Washington, Jan. 30.—The federal reserve board reported 822 savings banks held deposits of $6,913,252,000 on Jan. 1 or $576,324,000 more than a year ago.

SUSTAIN DEMURRERS OF SEVEN, INDICTED

Washington, Jan. 30—The supreme court of the District of Columbia today sustained demurrers of Benedict Crowell, former assistant secretary of war, and six others indicted with him in cases growing out of the building of war time cantonments.

EXPECT ANDERSON TO APPEAL CASE

New York Anti-Saloon Man Found Guilty.

New York, Jan. 30.—Dry leaders intimated W. H. Anderson, state superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of New York, convicted by a jury last night of third degree forgery, probably would appeal before Feb. 8, the date set for pronouncement of sentence.

Anderson received unflinchingly the verdict which was returned after the jury had deliberated an hour and 40 minutes. With the consent of prosecutor, bail of $5,000 was continued.

The extreme statutory penalty for conviction is five years in prison but members of the district attorney's staff asserted first offenders sometimes were given six months' sentences.

FOLKS DEFEND HIM.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 30.—When informed by the Associated Press Tuesday night that his son had been found guilty in New York, issued a statement, in which he declared he and his wife had abiding faith in their son. The statement follows:

"I expected the jury would find my son guilty because the presiding judge has ruled against my son in almost every instance during his trial. Mrs. Anderson and myself have abiding faith that our son is not guilty and that the facts and the real truth in the matter will come out in due time.

"The verdict is a great shock to my wife who has not been enjoying the best of health."

EXCHANGE HAS WILD SESSION

Thousands of Buying Orders Pour on Floor Following Report.

New York, Jan. 30—One of the wildest stock market sessions in recent years took place this morning, when thousands of buying orders poured on to the floor of the exchange as a result of the declaration of an extra dividend of 50 cents on the common stock of the United States Steel corporation, initial gains of active issues ranging from 1 to six points.

The first sale of U. S. Steel common was 7,000 shares at 106, or 2¾ above yesterday's close.

TAKEN BY SURPRISE.

Wall street was taken by surprise by the size of the extra dividend and the substantial increase in the earnings of the steel corporation for the last quarter of 1923. Professional bear traders hastened to cover.

When the opening gong sounded the steel post was surrounded by wildly shouting and gesticulating brokers. The first block of 7,000 at 106 was followed by a block of 1,500 at 105¾. Upwards of 50,000 shares changed hands in the first half hour.

Davison Chemical soared six points, U. S. Cast Iron Pipe 4¾ and Pan-American B., General Electric, American Can, Bethlehem and Gulf States Steel 2 to 3 points.

FLETCHER MAY BE CHILD'S SUCCESSOR

Washington, Jan. 30.—President Coolidge has under consideration a proposal that Henry P. Fletcher, now ambassador to Belgium, be transferred to Rome to succeed Richard Washburn Child who has resigned. The proposal also contemplates appointment of William Phillips, undersecretary of state as ambassador to Belgium.

CANADA ACCEPTS U. S. INVITATION

Duluth, Minn., Jan. 30—President Coolidge's invitation to the Canadian government to discuss the St. Lawrence waterway preliminary to signing the treaty between the two nations, has been accepted.

DOCTORS BUSY AT LENINE'S FUNERAL

Moscow, Jan. 30—During the funeral of Lenine, the ambulance corps treated 3,196 patients who fainted, were frost bitten or suffered attacks of hysteria.

Garfield's Election Got Young Calvin His Piece of Candy

Washington, Jan. 30.— President Coolidge received his first lesson in "sound" political economy" and a striking lesson in domestic economy during the Garfield-Hancock campaign of 1880 when he was eight years of age.

Speaking at the annual meeting of the Ohio Society of Washington last night Mr. Coolidge told this story of an incident of the Garfield-Hancock campaign:

ASKED FOR PENNY.

"It was during that campaign that I as a small boy approached my father, who was a very good business man with the proposition that he should furnish me with a penny to buy some candy.

He told me we were in the midst of a political campaign and that there was a probability, a possibility at least, that we were going to elect a Democrat for president. Such an action he said, would undoubtedly be followed by hard times and therefore it was necessary to economize.

SOUND DOCTRINE.

"That was good, sound doctrine, I think; anyhow it had to do for me. But I recall that the next morning after the election and as soon as the news reached our town that James A. Garfield had been chosen president, I went to my father and told him the result indicated we were to continue a Republican administration and with that prospect in view I secured the advance of the sum I had asked."

LEWIS RETAINS FULL POWERS

Majority of 119 Unofficially Announced in Mine Controversy.

Indianapolis Ind., Jan. 30—(AP)— Appointive powers of the international president of the United Mine Workers of America withstood an attack led by insurgents today and was saved by a scant majority of 157.

Announcement of the official count was received without demonstration. It was 2,263 in favor of the committee report, preserving the constitutional provision unchanged, and 2,106 against it.

IS CLOSE CALL.

The result of the vote was regarded as the closest call that the appointive powers of the administrative had received in twenty years. The unofficial tabulation showed that district 13 (Iowa) voted 33 yes; 32 no.

The administration forces had predicted they would have a majority of 200 on the total roll call and still maintained that the call of absentees would increase their majority.

Insurgents have given their entire strength to this fight, their leaders announced and they expect to maintain their lead. Administration supporters declared that the lead of 53 votes gained yesterday will be overcome when the districts of the southern and western states vote and that the president will be upheld by a majority of between 200 and 300 votes.

ILLINOIS VOTE.

Delegates from Illinois, who include a majority of the insurgent forces in the convention, piled up a vote of 809 in favor of the change, and howled when their district officials, Secretary-Treasurer Walter Nesbit and Vice President Harry Fishwick, voted against it, with a small Illinois minority that totalled 86 in voting power.

According to leaders among President Lewis' adherents, the lead of 53 is not formidable, and will be overcome in the rest of the roll-call tomorrow.

This afternoon's session, given over entirely to roll-call, was monotonous in the extreme.

DEMAND PROBE OF ARMY AVIATION

War-Time Claims in Proper Hands.

Washington, Jan. 30.—A demand in the house Tuesday for investigation of the army air service was followed by a statement by Secretary Weeks showing that claims totalling $32,581,686 against war-time airplane contractors already have been turned over to the department of justice for collection in the courts. Up to Jan. 28, he said, the refunds actually made by contractors amounted to $1,830,423.

SEES NO CHANGE.

The investigation proposal was embodied in a resolution by Representative Nelson, Republican, Wisconsin, who said he had been informed that conditions in the air service amounted to a continuation of the same conditions that obtained during the war.

The methods of the Manufacturers' Aircraft association, Inc., were declared by Mr. Nelson, to be, in his opinion, in violation of the Anti-Trust Law, but Mr. Weeks pointed out that in 1917 the attorney general ruled to the contrary.

DENY TROUBLE IN SOVIET DEALINGS

London Paper Says Recognition Is Ready.

London, Jan. 30—The Daily Herald says no hitch has developed in the government's preparations to recognize Soviet Russia, that the matter has already been decided and that reports to the contrary deliberately misrepresent the ministry's intention.

WITHIN 10 DAYS.

London, Jan. 30—(AP)— Full diplomatic recognition of Soviet Russia by the British government is expected within ten days according to political observers conversant with the labor government's intentions. These observers say Premier Macdonald is anxious to have recognition an accomplished fact before parliament meets February 12.

WM. C. HOAG MAY BE GIVEN FREEDOM

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 30—William C. Hoag, defaulting Peoria Heights village treasurer, will be given his freedom in Boston Wednesday unless some definite action toward bringing charges against him is taken, information from the state's attorney's office tonight indicated.

Warrants charging wife and child abandonment and embezzlement were to have been in the hands of the state's attorney Tuesday, but they failed to appear, assistant State's Attorney Irvin Fuller said.

MORBID CROWDS SATE CURIOSITY

Thousands Drawn By Lincoln and Leland Cases.

BY J. P. TODER.

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Chicago, Jan. 30—Mob morbidity in its most pernicious form is rampant in Chicago and in nearby Aurora. There is a wealth of material here for the student of psychology who would investigate that strange mental quirk which leads apparently normal persons to go the lengths that thousands have gone in the last few days to sate their sordid curiosity on the spicy or gruesome details of the sensational Leland-Case divorce trial and the Lincoln murder case at Aurora.

For five days the stuffy court room of Judge Foell has been a veritable bedlam for two hours before the opening of hearings in the divorce suit of Albert R. Leland, who names the Rev. Dr. Carl D. Case, pastor of the First Baptist church of Oak Park as co-respondent.

SPEND WEEK THERE.

When the writer was at Aurora Sunday, he saw among the crowds swarming about the scenes of the Lincoln murder, five girls who had spent the week sitting through the Leland case.

Despite the inclement weather, the home of Warren J. Lincoln, distant relative of the Martyred President, was jammed with carnival crowds, eager to know all the details of how he murdered his wife and her brother. The city dump where he threw the block of cement in which he had encased their heads was the mecca for other thousands.

BOK PROBERS TO PROVE AUTHORITY

Miss Lape Questions Right to Investigate.

Washington, Jan. 30— Because of the absence of Senator Reed, Democrat, Missouri, the senate committee investigating the Bok peace award, held no session today.

AUTHORITY QUESTIONED.

Washington, Jan. 30 — The senate committee investigating propaganda today was to determine its authority to inquire into the process whereby plans submitted under the Bok peace award were eliminated, planning later to resume examination of Miss Esther Everet Lape, member in charge of the policy committee of the award.

The committee took the question under advisement yesterday when Miss Lape raised the point by telling Chairman Moses she thought the resolution creating the committee did not convey authority to delve into the inner workings of the selection of the winning proposal.

GOVERNOR M'CRAY FOUND BANKRUPT

Frankfort, Ind., Jan. 30—Governor W. T. McCray is adjudged a bankrupt in the report of Harry C. Sheridan, federal master in chancery who recently conducted a hearing on the petition of three Fort Wayne banks. The report was made public today.

FILED OCT. 6.

Petition to have the governor declared a bankrupt was filed in Federal court Oct. 6 by the Citizens Trust company, the Farmers Trust company and the First National Bank.

The allegation was made that he committed acts of bankruptcy in making payments of $150,000 to the Discount and Deposit Bank of Kentland, Ind, and of $155,000 to the Indiana State Board of Agriculture.

ESSINGTON SPEAKS ON HIS PLATFORM

Galesburg, Ill., Jan. 30 — Senator Thurlow Essington spoke before an enthusiastic crowd here last night outlining the platform on which he is making his race for the Republican gubernatorial nomination. The senator attacked the Small administration especially Governor Small's action in pardoning criminals, and his road building plan which Essington said, has been used as a bribe for votes. "Gaps have been left in hard road stretches so that Small could return to that district and campaign for votes by promising to have the road finished," Mr. Essington said.

The senator completed a tour of Knox county, with his address here.

U. S. AND GREECE RENEW RELATIONS

Washington, Jan. 30—Diplomatic relations between the United States and Greece broken n 1920 were resumed.

YOUNG THEODORE SCORES PACIFISTS

New York, Jan. 30.—"My brother Quentin was probably killed because his airplane was not a good airplane," Theodore Roosevelt said in a speech. The doctrines of pacifists and preachers of disarmament, he said, made him so mad, he could "jump up and down and scream."

CONSERVATION RULING ISSUE

Certain Outcome of Fall Case, Mark Sullivan Declares.

By Mark Sullivan.

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Washington, Jan. 30 — One of the most certain outcomes of the Fall affair is the revival of conservation, but it will not be revived as an issue; it will be resurrected as an accomplished thing with ever lasting life.

Both the party conventions next June will declare in favor of it as a permanent national policy, and no future president of the United States will ever appoint a secretary of the interior or any other cabinet official who does not believe in and practice the keeping of public lands and other public resources safely and permanently in the government's hands.

LAST TO DO IT.

Secretary Fall will go down in history with a good many attributes of one sort or another. One of them minor ones will be that he will be the last public man to have advocated openly the policy of turning the public lands over to private interests for exploitation.

There were many men and many communities in the west who advocated with an entirely honest spirit the policy of getting rid of the public ownership of lands, minerals, oil and forest, so that they could be more rapidly developed in private hands. There are states in the west in which most of the people feel that the progress of their communities is impeded, and that their possible revenues for schools, roads and other improvements is kept low by the continued ownership by the federal government of large sections of those states.

POLICY IS DEAD.

There is something to be said for this policy, but it will never again make much headway in the country as a whole. The policy of conservation had it's beginnings in the imaginations of President Roosevelt and Gifford Pinchot. Roosevelt pioneered it in his administration; in the Taft administration, Pinchot was the principal advocate of it.

In the Wilson administration, probably the man who fought more vigorously and successfully than any other in favor of conservation was Josephus Daniels. As early as 1914, when the use of oil as a substitute for coal on ships was still experimental, Secretary Daniels went deeply into the subject with naval officers. Afterward he went on record in a letter to Wilson with the assertion that future vessels built for the navy would be designed for oil as fuel, and with a recommendation that all the oil lands owned by the government should be forever retained for the use of the navy and should be administered by the navy. It was this policy that was violated by Fall when the Harding administration came in.

ACTING AS AGENT.

After Fall's first lease of oil lands, when the point was raised, among others, that the navy department and not the interior department had control of these lands, Fall answered that he was "acting as the agent of the commander-in-chief of the army and navy" by which he meant President Harding. Not only as regards oil lands, but as regards all lands owned by the government, Fall was steadily active against conservation.

He even tried to reach over into Wallace's department of agriculture and get for his own department some of the public lands under Secretary Wallace's control. Secretary Wallace fought back, and by that fight made himself the principal advocate of conservation in the Harding administration.

MOTHER WALKS 1000 MILES TO HER SON

Detroit, Jan. 30—Mrs. Mary Hansen watches at the bedside of her son Joseph here, after walking more than 1,000 miles from Sioux Falls, S. D., to take care of him. Three weeks ago she received word that her son was ill in Detroit. She started out on foot and with the aid of motorists arrived late yesterday.

The Weather

Chicago, Jan. 30

Following are the weather indications for Illinois:

Fair tonight and Thursday, not much change in temperature.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Coonradi, United States weather observer:

7 p. m., Tuesday	38
Highest Tuesday	45
7 a. m. Wednesday	37
Noon Wednesday	41
Lowest Wednesday	32
Sun rises (Standard time)	7:07
Sun sets	5:00

WEATHER MAP.

Chicago, Jan. 30—Canadian Northwest, part cloudy, 10 to 42 above.

Northwest, 20 to 42 above, trace Williston.

West, 26 to 36 above. Traces Chicago and Lamille.

Southwest, 32 to 38 light rain Springfield and St. Louis.

Ohio Valley, 38 to 42 above, scattered rains.

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TUSCOLA PLANNING 1924 CHAUTAUQUA

Committee Already Has Selected Some Talent.

Tuscola, Jan. 30.—J. Oscar Hall of Bloomington was in Tuscola Tuesday afternoon, in the interest of the Loar Independent Chautauqua, which will furnish the talent for the Tuscola Chautauqua again this year. The date for the assembly has not been definitely fixed but it will probably be held from about July 9th to the fifteenth.

The members of the association were called together as a committee of the whole Monday afternoon for the purpose of making tentative selection of talent.

SOME PROBABILITIES.

Among those who likely will appear here will be Dr. S. Parkes Cadman, Henry Gaines Hawn, and Louis Williams as lecturers, De Jen and Company, magicians.

The Bachman Million Dollar Band was definitely selected as one of the musical attractions. Theirs will be a return engagement. On the night when that organization appeared here last season the crowd grew to such proportions that it became necessary to take down the side walls outside the tent and make it an open air affair.

Other musical attractions which were tentatively selected are The Welsh Miners Quintet and Goforth's Orchestra. The entire program was not selected and some of those that were spoken of may be changed to accommodate the traveling schedules of the talent.

Dr. C. L. Hime left here Tuesday afternoon via the C. & E. I. and St. Louis for San Benito, Texas, where he has some land interests. The doctor is jointly interested with his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Smith, who live on the land. He expects to be away about three weeks.

TWO CLUBS MEET.

The regular monthly meeting and dinner of the Tuscola Chamber of Comerce was held at the rooms of the organization Monday night. I was a joint meeting of the Chamber of Commerce and the Advertising Club. It is an easy matter to make a joint meet of the two organizations, as all members of the Advertising club are members of the Chamber of Commerce, though all members of the Chamber of Commerce are not members of the Ad Club.

There was a good attendance of the membership and the dinner was served by the Young Women's Home Missionary Society of the Methodist church. A few songs by a quartet composed of Messrs. F. E. Parker, O. H. Moorehead, Oscar Collins and Cal. Rasor, with Mrs Rasor as pianist added pep to the occasion. Several matters of interest were discussed, chief of which probably was the road question.

During that part of the meeting which was taken charge of by the Ad. club, it was decided that the next semi-annual "Dollar Day" sale by the Tucola merchants will be on Feb. 20.

BRIEFS.

James Day of Atwood was a Tuesday business caller in Tuscola.

Mrs. Grace Bigelow of Champaign was in Tuscola Tuesday.

Wallace Barracks and mother, Mrs. J. F. Barracks, of near Villa Grove, were in Tuscola Tuesday. Mrs. Barracks was having dental work done.

Mrs. Fred Squires, who lives across the street south from the Baptist church, is reported as among the sick of the city.

[illegible] W. Wilmeth, who lives southeast of Tuscola, suffered a stroke of paralysis the latter part of last week.

The meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid has been postponed from Feb. 1 to Feb. 8, when the meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Laura E. Martin.

Mrs. H. B. Morgan went to Charleston Tuesday to attend the funeral of an aunt.

F. A. Warren and Raymond Carpenter went to Chicago Monday night to attend the automobile show.

MUSICAL FEAST.

The Music Department of the Tuscola Woman's Club met Tuesday afternoon and though the weather was bad and the streets in a miserable condition there was a very good attendance. The subject for lessan study was "Spanish Music," with Mrs. Olive Boyce and Mrs. Sarah McKee as the leaders.

In the musical contest played by Mrs. L. R. McNeil and Mrs. Fred Thornsbrue, Mrs. Clara Davis made the high score. Mrs. Boyce gave a description of the Spanish people and their music.

The program also included a piano number, "Mandalena," by Mrs. Gladys Rasor. Mrs. Rodman told of the typical Spanish Folk songs. Other numbers included:

Voice solo, "Lightly Row," Mrs. Sylvia Callaway sketch of "Carmen," Mrs. Hamilton; piano, "Habanera" (Carmen), Mrs. Wamsley; biography of Spanish composer, "Sarasate," Mrs. Mae Campbell; voice duet, "The Troubadour," Mrs. Clara Thornsbrue and Mrs. Mae Campbell; voice duet, "LaPaloma," Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Helm; description of Spanish dances, Mrs. Frances Campbell; piano, "Bolero," Mrs. Rasor; voice, "Juanita," Mrs. Clara Davis; piano duet (Spanish), Misses Lois McNeill and Elizabeth Drynan; biography of Garcia, Mrs. McKee; voice, "Spanish National Hymn, Mrs. Helm.

The club members sang "Faintly Flow Thou Falling River," as a chorus.

IVESDALE.

Tim Breen of Seymour was a caller here Friday.

M. Loftus and daughters were Champaign visitors Friday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Downs, east of town, Friday Jan. 25, a daughter.

Ray O'Bierne of Champaign transacted business here Friday.

John and Joe Marion of Seymour were Ivesdale callers Friday.

Herman Shadows and M. Donald of Decatur passed Friday here.

The W. F. M. S. of the Methodist church held an open meeting for the members and their families at the home of Mrs. Herman Pundt, Thursday evening. A missionary play was the feature of the evening. Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and coffee were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Somers were Champaign visitors Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Berry of Sadorus were callers here Thursday evening.

Mrs. M. M. Ricketts passed Wednesday with relatives in Danville.

Misses Sabina Monaghan and Anna Keefe passed Saturday in Champaign.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burns and daughter Madonna motored to Monticello Saturday.

Ed Monaghan was a caller in Bement Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Tynan visited Mr. and Mrs. O. Boyer in Bement Friday.

Dennis Sullivan was a Monticello caller Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gallagher and family of Philo passed the week-end with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Tabaka, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stout, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tabaka were Champaign callers Saturday.

CASNER.

Mr. Webb of LeRoy was here last week looking after his farm interests.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Jennings and Mrs. A. B. Chapman were in Decatur Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sharps of Decatur spent Sunday with A. B. Chapmans.

Mrs. Elizabeth Rork, who has been ill, is now better.

Joan McDonald of Decatur was calling on old friends here this week.

A. B. Chapman and Glen Robey were in Decatur Monday.

Mr. Martin did not get here for the morning service last Sunday on account of car trouble and the zero weather. He expects to begin a revival here next Sunday night.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Rork has been named William Vincent.

A sale will be held at Mr. Powells' Tuesday. Lunch will be served by some of the Casner women.

Mr and Mrs B. F Jennings returned from a two weeks stay in Decatur Tuesday.

Guy Kintner and family spent Sunday in La Place.

Mrs. Jones fell on the ice, injuring her arm.

Charles Barnfield and Rex Tohill, who works at the Wabash Shops remained in Decatur all week on account of the cold weather and snow drifts that has made it almost impossible to travel.

There was no school Monday on account of Miss Felten being ill.

Birt Harlon will move to the A. A. Hill farm. The Pattersons' have moved near Macon.

JUDGE SENTEL TO PRESIDE IN PIATT

Brief Session of Circuit Court Monday.

Monticello, Jan. 30—Circuit court will convene here Feb. 4 and Judge George A. Sentel will preside. The grand jury will report and be impaneled, after which court will adjourn until Feb. 25. The petit jury will report on the 25 and the jury trial cases will be tried.

The Church of God is having a series of revival meetings. The first meeting was held Monday evening. A woman evangelist, Miss Phoebe Rediger of Hoopeston, has charge of the meetings.

William Stinerson and family moved Tuesday to the Frank Gregory property on E. High street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrington and daughter, Francis moved Tuesday into the Kluge property on Front street.

Miss Mabel Abner fell Sunday at her home on East High street, and fractured a bone in her right wrist.

Jodie Lumsden of Denver, Colo., is the guest of his father, E. W. Lumsden and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Reber Huston, who have been in St. Joseph for the last two months with their son, Charles Huston, and children are expected home soon.

Mrs. Effie Sullivan has returned to her home in Chicago after a several days' visit with relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Akeman and daughter, Violet, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bowyer the last few days, left Tuesday for Gas City, Ind., where Rev. Akeman has accepted the pastorate of the Christian church.

A ten-pound son was born Tuesday, Jan. 29, to Mr. and Mrs. George Allen.

The J. U. Club will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. W. W. Griffith at her home on East Lafayette street.

AT FARM MEETING.

Farm Adviser S. S. Davis is attending the Farm Advisers conference at the university of Illinois this week.

T. T. Taggart of Champaign transacted business in Monticello Tuesday.

The will of the late Dennis Doolen was filed and admitted to probate Tuesday. James and Machali Doolen were named as administrators with will annex.

W. L. Plankenhorn has filed a current report as conservator of Josephine Reason.

The will of the late Patrick White has been admitted to probate. Michael Neagle was named executor.

NEWS BREVITIES FROM LA PLACE

LaPlace, Jan. 30—Mrs. Carl Strech of Hammond, Ind., came last Saturday for a two week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stabler.

Glen Y. Davidson of the U. of I. is home this week for a visit between semesters.

Mrs. C. E. Leathers returned Sunday from her visit near Olney, and reports that there was no snow down there.

Little John Dale Henricks was sick with a cold and sore throat last Friday and Saturday, but was reported das much improved on Saturday evening.

Mrs. William Eagan, who has been sick with a cold, too, also is improving.

The walks, paths and roadway here are very icy and slippery. Every one is "watching his step" pretty closely these days.

Oscar Warnick moved from the Fritz farm into Decatur last Thursday. Earl Hirsch, who is moving onto the land, expected to get in on Monday.

Merl Griswold, who has been farming the Hodge land southeast of town, will move from there onto the Stocks land near Lake City. A Mr. Hale will move onto the Hodge farm.

Clifford VanHorn is leaving the farm and moving to Decatur. His brother, Will, has rented the land and will farm it.

Ira Robinson will have a closing-out sale soon on the J. P. Miller farm northeast of town.

The I. O. O. F. supper and social evening, which was to have been given last Thursday night, was again postponed on account of unfavorable weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kintner, their two children and Mrs. E. B. Chapman, all of Casner, spent Thursday evening with relatives here.

Arthur Edgecomb made a flying trip to Minnesota last week and returned with a bride. He will work for R. E. Meadows, who is farming Ennis land south of town.

Owen Lehman had the misfortune of his Ford coupe upsetting on the icy road northwest of town Saturday evening. With Mr. Lehman at the time were his wife, son, and his wife's mother. Fortunately no one was hurt.

While driving to La Place from Decatur Sunday morning to fill his regular appointment Rev. Mr. Judy's car turned around four different times on the icy road.

A good many from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Henricks in Cerro Gordo last Wednesday. Burial was in East Frantz cemetery.

GRANDMA DANIELS DIES AT SADORUS

Sadorus, Jan. 30—Grandma Daniels died Monday at ten o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George Spaulding. She was about 87 years of age. She had lived in and near Sadorus for about twenty years. She was born in England and came to this country when a small girl. She is survived by one son, James and two daughters. The funeral is being held at the Methodist church Wednesday.

The teachers institute held at the Sadorus high school on Tuesday was well attended, there being about thirty-five teachers present.

J. B. Dillon was a business visitor in Champaign on Saturday. Miss Mary Sadorus stayed in the postoffice.

MRS. JASPER RAWLINGS.

Mrs. Jasper Rawlings died at her home in the west part of town on Tuesday afternoon. She had been sick with pneumonia for about one week. She was about sixty-seven years of age and is survived by her husband, two daughters and three sons, all grown. Mrs. Rawlings had been a resident of Sadorus most all of her life.

The members of the Masonic lodge enjoyed an oyster supper in their lodge room on Tuesday evening.

The stockholders of the Farmers' Elevator company held a meeting at the town hall Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Shaffer went to Newman Tuesday to visit Mrs. Shaffer's cousin, who was injured in an automobile accident a few days ago.

George Strack was a business visitor in Newman Tuesday.

Fred Schroeder had electric lights installed in his residence Wednesday.

PHILADELPHIA RENT UP 20 PERCENT

Philadelphia, Jan. 30—Rents in Philadelphia are twenty per cent higher than a year ago, according to figures made public by the Philadelphia Housing association. A survey covering 1,733 properties showed sixty-five per cent of the tenants had had their rents increased.

POSTPONED TERM TO OPEN MONDAY

Christian Co. Court Has Heavy Docket.

Taylorville, Jan. 30—The Christian County Court will open for its December term Monday, Feb. 4 with Judge C. J. Vogelsang presiding. The term had been postponed on account of the Pana City court holding its session at the time.

The docket setting for the term is the heaviest ever held and the cases of violation of the prohibition laws lead all others in number so

INFANT SON DIES.

Word was received here Tuesday of the death of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Barton Cole, former residents of this city, at the home of its parents in Detroit, Mich.

The remains will be brought to Taylorville Wednesday for interment in the mausoleum in Oak Hill cemetery. Rev. S. B. Harry of the Presbyterian church will have charge of the services.

Newton Kerns, clerk of the Modern Woodmen camp at Palmer, delivered a check for $3,000 Tuesday to Mrs. Jerome Durbin, for a policy carried by Mr. Durbin. Mr. Durbin paid in $654 during his twenty-nine years as a Woodman.

ENGAGED.

Mrs. Harry Hershey has received word of the engagement of Miss Sara Stapleton, her sister, and F. E. Paesler, an attorney of Chicago. The wedding will occur in June.

The bride is well known here, having lived most of her life in Assumption.

TEACHER CRITICALLY ILL.

Mrs. Nora Merritt, a teacher in the east ward school in a dying condition at a hospital in Springfield.

Her daughter, Miss Gertrude left Tuesday to attend her mother's bedside.

EXPECT SPECIAL TRAIN.

Local basketball fans may go to Pana Friday night in a special train, if efforts being made by R. R. Simpson are successful.

Pana defeated Taylorville here last Friday by a score of seventeen to sixteen in a whirlwind game and the local slogan is, "Beat Pana."

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You can get Idico Crystals, as they are called, at any good drug or department store, such as Decatur Drug Co., Gardner's Irwin's Frankel's.

It will require 123 round trip tickets to secure the train and they are almost all signed up.

Pana brought about seventy-five fans with them and that did as much toward winning the game as the team did.

BLAKEY FUNERAL.

The funeral services for the late Mrs. Lizzie Blakey, seventy-seven of Pownee, mother of C. L. Blaeky of this city, who died Monday evening, were held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock from the Pawnee Methodist Episcopal church. Interment in the Zion cemetery.

Mrs. Blakey was born in Springfield but lived in Pawnee practically all her life.

She is survived by two sons, Charles of this city and Edward of Pawnee.

BROTHER FOUND DEAD.

Thomas Burns, employed by the B. & O. here, received word early Tuesday morning that his brother, Jerry Burns, was found dead on a vacant lot at Sumner, Ill., apparently having met by foul play.

Ernest Neu of Kincaid is head of the I. O. O. F. lodge at that place. Officers for the coming year were installed at a regular meeting Friday night.

MORRISONVILLE.

Henry Kelly of St. Louis is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Laura Kelly

Simeon Forbes was in Taylorville Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Manning were in Hillsboro Thursday attending the funeral a relative.

Charles Lloyd was a business visitor in Moweaqua Thursday.

Harold Kent visited the National Stock Yards in St. Louis Friday where he shipped a carload of hogs.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Black were here from B[illegible] Mound Friday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Erastus Black.

Malcolm Wyckoff arrived from Chicago Friday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wyckoff and to attend the funeral of his uncle, Chester McClain.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Masbury were visitors in Springfield Saturday.

Mrs. H. P. Kastien went to Harvel Saturday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rockweitz and family.

Mrs. Earl McWard returned home Saturday from the Springfield hospital, where she has been a patient for the last three weeks.

Vern Dragoo was here from Pawnee Saturday visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Christopher.

Miss Hattie Springgate was in Taylorville Saturday visiting her sister Mrs. Herman Oldham.

Earl Offlighter who has been here for several weeks, visiting his grandmother, Mrs. A. E. Anderson and other relatives, left Saturday for Urbana, where he will visit Mrs. Alice Offlighter and from there he will return to his home at Sayre, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Crawford of Chillicothe, Mo., are visiting their son, Glen Crawford and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cashen of Decatur spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McLean.

Miss Mary Hough of Raymond is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Charles Brockman.

Mrs. Myrtle Clower of Litchfield was here over Sunday the guest of her father, Isaac Christopher.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gray were in Nokomis Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carlson Jayne.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dudley returned to their home in Granite City Monday after a visit here.

FORSYTH.

Mrs. S. Pence of Decatur was a business caller in the village Tuesday.

Miss Sylvia Wilson of Decatur spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Davis and family.

Mrs. Lizzie Roby is visiting with her sister at Windsor for several days.

Miss Edna Benton left Tuesday for Danville, Ill., to enter the Lakeview hospital there to take a course in nursing. She took a year and a half in training at the Decatur and Macon County hospital, but will finish her training in the Lakeview hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Clough of Argenta spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clough.

Word was received here Monday of the death of Mrs. Ida Humphrey of Elk Fall, Kan., she is a step-daughter of Mrs. Emma Benton of this place, also a sister of the late Mrs. Frank Hoover of this place.

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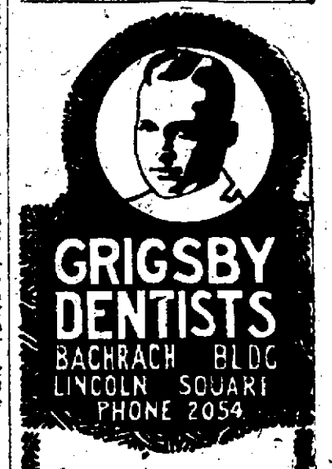

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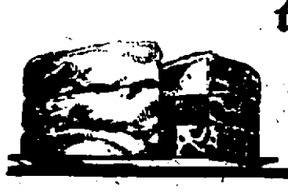

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A benefit card party has been arranged by a number of the prominent women of the community who have done so with a view of being of material aid to the Decatur and Macon County hospital, and through it to others. The date of the card party is Feb. 13, and the place will be at the Elks' club.

The women who are sponsoring this party are Mrs. F. W. Wipperman, Mrs. Clarence E. McClelland, Mrs. Corwin Johns, Mrs. R. D. Wood, Mrs. Erwin F. Dudley, Mrs. R. Zink Sanders, Mrs. Will Wood, Mrs. H. D. Warner, Mrs. C. A. McMillen, Mrs R. C. McMillen, Mrs. F. M. Lindsay, Mrs. Will Barnes and Mrs. J. M. Allen.

FOR SPECIAL NURSES.

The fund toward which the money raised at this card party will go is one which has long been needed, according to Dr. F. W. Wipperman. It is for the purpose of providing special nurses for a night or two after serious operations, when the patient cannot afford to do this, and is in danger if he or she does not have such a nurse.

While the graduate and student nurses on the regular staff look after the patients in such cases now, there are not enough of them to provide this extra care, and patients who could afford to do so have been paying for the extra nursing. In many cases where the expense has to be considered the patients have to do without it. This new fund will throw about them this extra precaution.

FOR ONE YEAR.

It is the opinion of Dr. Wipperman that enough money can be made by this one party to provide the extra nursing which for one year will be needed. Private tables may be reserved for small groups, an entire club may reserve tables or individuals may play at tables arranged especially for the benefit of those who are alone. Some very attractive prizes are being prepared, for both bridge and 500 which will be played.

Those wishing to make arrangements for the party attendance may do so by calling Mrs. R. C. McMillen, M. 5239 or Mrs. Clarence E. McClelland, M. 5144.

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C. C. Caldwell Suggests Motorists' League.

C. C. Caldwell of Decatur is offering you an opportunity to join the Motorists' League for Countryside Preservation. It doesn't cost a cent to join, there are no dues and the league will not take anything away from you if you should want to get out. In addition to that you will as a member be in mighty good company. Mr. Caldwell is one of the most enthusiastic motorists and good road boosters in Decatur. He is one man whose report on the condition of a road does not have to be supported by an affidavit or backed by other evidence but is accepted as the law and the gospel by the Decatur Motor Club.

THE "CREED."

Mr. Caldwell is really suggesting the organization of a local chapter in Decatur. There isn't a thing in the league that conflicts with any one's race, color, religion, politics or condition of previous servitude. The creed is simple and yet it contains much. It is "I believe in the call of the open road that leads out to the woods and hills and countryside; I believe that a motorist's care of these is a duty to self, to fellow man and to the nation."

PLEDGE.

The pledge is even simpler yet, it contains more words. One clause of it reads: "I will leave a camp or resting place or camp site clean and free from papers or litter of any sort." Another: "I will be careful of trees and shrubbery, of brooks and streams, in the making of fires. I will make every effort to leave the roadside in such condition that the pleasure to be derived from it will not be lessened from any careless act of mine."

Mr. Caldwell has distributed a number of booklets of the league among his tourists friends in Decatur. They at least make excellent reading—and put motorists in hearty sympathy with the movement. A local chapter does many things besides inspiring its members to keep campsites clean.

DRUNKEN TOUGHS BEAT ARMY MEN

Officer Phillips Attacked By Several.

Recruiting Officer Phillips of the United States army was beaten severely by a gang of drunken toughs early Tuesday evening in the 700 block East Eldorado street.

As Phillips passed the gang at the alley between Broadway and Morgan streets one of the eight men in the bunch made insulting remarks to the officer. Mr. Phillips, according to the story told the police, started on without replying. Then one of them pulled off his coat and dared the officer to fight, and as Mr. Phillips turned he was struck in the face before he had a chance to defend himself. He clinched with his assailant and as he slipped to the sidewalk others in the gang ran up and kicked him in the face and about the body several times. Then all of them ran away.

Phillips was able to get up and walk to his room. There was no policeman in sight and he reported the assault to police headquarters.

The police hunted all night and brought in a number of drunks in the hope that Mr. Phillips would be able to identify some of them as his assailants.

FINDS FRIENDS AND ZERO WEATHER

W. Nay Boggess Back From Trip to Idaho.

While Decatur was shivering under its unaccustomed snow blanket and complaining of an unusually severe winter, a little group of Macon county men who have chosen Idaho as their home were enjoying pleasant weather in an altitude of 4,000 feet, according to W. Nay Boggess, who has returned from a business trip to Twin Falls, Idaho, where he met a number of former Decatur and Macon county men.

"Just like being at home," said Mr. Boggess. During his stay in Twin Falls he met Sam Proctor, Sam Kaylor, Henry Spence, Ed Johnson, John Harding and Ed Coombs, all of this part of the country who have made their homes there. All of the men like the country very well and are doing well. Henry Spence and Ed Johnson are connected with a large irrigatio project there, while the others are following ranching.

On the trip out Mr. Boggess ran into some real sub-zero weather. He left Chicago Jan. 19, with the mercury at eight below. From Cheyenne, Wyo., to Pocatello, Ida., the temperature was very low and between Rawlings and Pocatello not a wheeled vehicle was seen as sleds and cutters seemed the only means of transport in the heavy snow.

INSTALL CATHOLIC BISHOP FEB. 28

Consecration in Chicago on Feb. 25.

SPRINGFIELD CENTER

Several from Decatur to Attend Service.

Preliminary arrangements for the consecration and installation of Bishop-elect James F. Griffin of Joliet have been completed, according to word reaching Decatur. Dates have been fixed for the consecration and the installation.

The consecration will be held Feb. 25 in the Holy Name cathedral in Chicago. Archbishop Mundelein will be the consecrator. Acting as co-consecrators will be Bishop Hoban of Chicago and Bishop Spritch of Toledo, O. Bishop Spritch was a classmate of Bishop-elect Griffin's in Rome.

SPRINGFIELD DIOCESE.

The installation will be held Feb. 28 at the Church of the Immaculate Conception in Springfield which after the bishop's installation will be known as the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, and the diocese now known as the Alton diocese of the Catholic church will be known as the Springfield diocese.

After the consecration ceremony Bishop Griffin will return to his former parish in Joliet, where he will say his first mass as a bishop.

It is expected several from Decatur will attend the installation service in Springfield.

THURSTON THOMAS, 81 YEARS OLD, DIES

Member Salvation Army for 32 Years.

Thurston Thomas, a veteran of the Civil war and for thirty-two years a member of the Salvation Army, died at 11:50 o'clock Tuseday night at his home, 769 East Wood street. He would have been eighty-one years old in March. He was stricken with paralysis Sunday and that was the cause of his death.

Mr. Thomas was born in Kaskaskia March 2, 1843. He and Miss Mary A. Butler were married in 1867. They lived at Pana for thirty years, and Mr. Thomas worked as a painter there. The family moved to Decatur about thirteen years ago.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN.

Mr. Thomas was a member of company A of the Eighteenth Illinois Volunteer Infantry during the Civil war and was in the battle of Gettysburg and other engagements. Thirty-two years ago he joined the Salvation Army and has been a member ever since. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Calvin Thomas of Fair Grove, Mo., James Thomas of San Antonio, Tex., Mrs. Commandant Smith of Springfield, Clyde Thomas, Harry Thomas and Earl Thomas of Decatur. Four other children have died. There are twenty-five grand-children and three great grand-children.

The funeral will be held at 9 o'clock Thursday morning at the Salvation Army barracks. The body will be taken to Pana, on the Illinois Central and the burial will be in Linwood cemetery.

LEWIS HAYES.

Lewis A. Hayes, more familiarly known as Heck Hayes, 1133 South Dorenda street, died at 2:35 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at St. Mary's hospital. He was thirty-nine years old last October. His death was caused by pneumonia, following an illness of only a few days. He was taken to the hospital Saturday.

Mr. Hayes was born in Decatur Oct. 1, 1874. Practically all his life was spent in or near Decatur and he was widely known. For many years he lived in the south part of the city. He raised hogs, traded in horses and real estate, and was considered one of the shrewdest traders in the city. He had many friends in the south part of town. For some time he had been living on his farm four miles southwest of Decatur, moving back to town about three weeks ago. He is survived by his wife, Gladys Hayes, a brother, Dallas A. Hayes of St. Louis, and three sisters, Mrs. Daisy House of San Diego, Cal., Mrs. F. W. Stiles of Springfield and Mrs. James Lemings of Decatur. The body was removed to the Moran & Sons chapel and prepared for burial.

MRS. IDA STURGIS DAVIS.

Mrs. Ida Sturgis Davis died at 6:20 Tuesday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Bixler, 1644 North Monroe street. She would have been fifty-nine years old in March. Her death was caused by a complication of diseases with which she had suffered for six months.

Mrs. Davis' maiden name was Ida Cook. She was born in Hawkins county, O., March 1, 1865. For some time she had been making her home with Mrs. Bixler. She was a member of the East Park Baptist church. She is survived by the following children: Mrs. George Carroll, Mrs. John Bixler and Harry Sturgis of Decatur, Mrs. Oma Tobien and Mrs. John Hoerr of Peoria and Homer Sturgis of Maroa. She also leaves four sisters and two brothers, Mrs. H. C. Reed, Mrs. P. A. Nixon of Decatur, Mrs. Forest Chism of Honeywell, Kan., Mrs. John Twigg of Berkeley, Cal., Samuel Cook of Springfield and Clay Cook of Bentley, N. D.

The body was removed to the Dawson & Wilkoff undertaking establishment and prepared for burial.

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PROF. NETTLETON SPEAKS THURSDAY

Two Lectures At Millikin University.

"The English Comedy of Manners" and "Some Educational Consequences of the War" will be the two subjects upon which Prof. George H. Nettleton of Yale will speak in his two lectures at Millikin university Thursday Jan. 31. The appearance of Prof. Nettleton is the third number on the James Millikin University Extention Course and his coming will no doubt draw crowds just as large as those who came to hear Dr. Samuel Joshi and Frank Swinnerton the novelist.

Prof. Nettleton, who is head of the department of English at Yale University has been a lecturer at the Sorbonne in France, Director of the American University Union in Paris, and Honorary Professor Ecole Inter-Allice des Hautes Etudes Sociales also in Paris, in 1919, also served in the war and his a very enviable military record. He was made a Chevalier de la Legion D'Honneur. Among his noteworthy books are "The English Drama of the Restoration and the Eighteenth Century"; "Specimens of the Short Story"; Old Testament Narratives"; and "Drama and the Stage" in the Cambridge History of English Literature.

4:30 and 8:15.

Prof. Nettleton's lectures start at 4:30 and 8:15 in afternoon and evening in the Millikin auditorium. Tickets for this lecture and for the following lectures may be secured through the Extention Committee or at the University the evening of the lecture.

The lecture by Edwin E. Slosson, who is the author of "Creative Chemistry" which was announced as Feb. 4 will be given March 4 instead.

NO INVESTIGATION OF POUNDMASTER

Humane Society Drops All Action.

SEEK NEW ORDINANCE

Believe Council will Remedy Conditions.

Investigation having revealed that the ordinance providing for the appointment of a poundmaster and for the taking up of dogs does not specify in what way those dogs shall be killed and that there are no penalties attached to violation of the ordinance by the poundmaster other than removal from office the members of the Decatur Humane society called off the investigation of the charges made by them which was to be held Tuesday afternoon.

While city officials said that they would be glad to go on with the investigation H. D. Spencer, in speaking for the society, said that since all the commissioners had expressed a willingness to assist the society in preventing cruelty to animals and since a committee had been appointed to draft a new ordinance it was thought best, under all of the circumstances, to drop the investigation which had been planned for Tuesday afternoon.

SEEK NEW ORDINANCE.

"We have sent to other cities for copies of the ordinances relating to animals in force there," said Mr. Spencer Wednesday morning, "and with these various ordinances for our guide we expect to draw up one that will be effective and practical, one which the city commissioners will feel that they can pass and uphold.

"The society simply is not willing to tolerate any kind of cruelty to animals and we believe that the members of the city council are more than willing to co-operate with the society."

PITNER FOR PROBE.

Commissioner Tom Pitner, in whose department the subject is handled, expressed himself as being anxious to go on with the investigation but Mayor Elmer Elder said he believed that dropping the investigation was the sensible thing to do.

"The members of the city council are not inhuman," he said, "and no member will tolerate cruelty to animals."

He also said that exaggerations of actual facts cause trouble. The council has limited funds and is restrained by law from going beyond certain limits.

He believed that out of a spirit of co-operation better results will be secured than through an investigation which would almost certainly arouse bad feelings.

MACON CHAPTER HOLDS OPEN HOUSE

Two Hundred Masons Hear Y. M. C. A. Glee Club and Addresses.

Songs by the Y. M. C. A. glee club, duets by Eldon Geiger and Elmer Lyons and talks by Rev. R. E. Henry, Rev. Chesteen Smith, Edwin Adamson and Rev. Wilbert Dowson made up an interesting program for the 200 Masons who attended the open house meeting held by Macon chapter R. A. M., in Eldorado temple Tuesday night.

Rev. R. E. Henry and Edward Adamson spoke on Royal Arch Masonry and Rev. Chesteen Smith spoke on "Safety," applying it not only to physical but to financial safety and other human interests, including the development of unselfishness.

Rev. Wilbert Dowson spoke on the value of character and service.

ONLY FIFTY FOR RELIGIOUS SCHOOL

Prof. A. P. Kelso Gives Talk on "Amos And Hosea."

"Amos and Hosea," was the subject of Prof. A. P. Kelso's lecture Tuesday night at the school of religion in the First Presbyterian church. A small crowd was out, only fifty being present. His subject for next Tuesday will be "The Life and Times of Isaiah, the Greatest Genius of the Semites."

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'AM I INTRUDING' TO OPEN TONIGHT

Benefit for Boys' Opportunity Home.

FILLED WITH LAUGHS

Cast of Well Known Local Amateurs.

"Am I Intruding," the Lions club benefit show for the Boy's Opportunity home building fund put on by a cast from the Decatur Players, all well known local amateurs, opens its first performance in the Lincoln Square Theater at 8:30 Wednesday night with a big advance seat sale indicating a full house. The play will be repeated again on Thursday night.

The play is a thoroughly modern comedy based on a mystery plot, and is full of clean humor and wit and catchy lines. The plot of the piece is based upon the efforts of Blaire Hoover, adventurer, to secure control of stocks belonging to Horace Vare, who is in temporary financial straits. Jerry, the son of Vare's old college chum, a rustic tornado from "Sage Crick" appears on the scene in time to take a hand. Between attempting to untangle the mystery of the stocks, evade Mona, the flirtatious French maid and staging a high pressure courtship of Margie, Vare's daughter, Jerry is pretty much occupied through the show.

LOVE TANGLES.

Margie's flapper sister Vi, and the latter's bosom friend Dora, who "thinkth men are tho wonderful," and their love affairs with Peter, who knows all about girls, and Dickie Waldron, who is trying to raise a mustache, show some love making tactics that are a striking contrast to the courtship of Jane, Vare's serious minded and literary niece by Earnest her secretary.

There are laughs in every line of the show, and the cast has worked the piece up to perfection.

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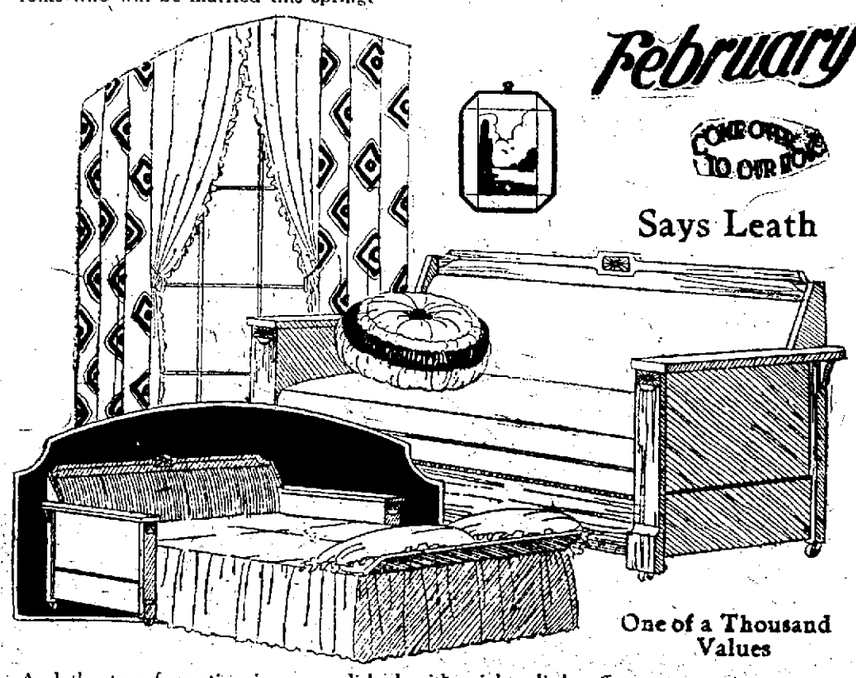

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PEACE MAY COME IN MAROA STREET WAR

Property Owners May Accept Brick or Asphalt.

Maroa Jan 30—According to present indications an effort will be made soon for a conference in this city between representatives of the Traction System and the city to see if an agreement can be reached so that the company can pave its portion on Wood street. It developed at the meeting of the city council Monday night that either brick or a certain kind of asphalt would be satisfactory to the property owners and that no effort would be made to hold the company to a strict construction of its franchise which could mean only concrete

One of the engineers connected with the state aid road through Maroa gave out the information that if the company would use what is known as a certain grade of Kentucky asphalt that in his opinion it would prove satisfactory

WORK MAY START EARLY

A committee consisting of B F Capinger and D M Dewhirst was recently appointed to get the sentiment of the Wood street property owners as to their views on the matter and the committee had planned to visit Monticello and inspect the asphalt work recently completed by the company This may be done later It begins to appear that the matter will be settled without litigation and that the work will be done as early in the spring as possible

BREVITIES

Joseph Vaughn and F C Crainer returned home Monday from Hot Springs Ark where they spent three weeks for the benefit of their health Both returned greatly improved

Harry Miller of Forrest City Iowa has been here the last few days visiting at the home of his sister Mrs Augusta Miller

Miss Grace Welgle who has been quite ill at the home of her grandmother Mrs Ada Edwards is slowly recovering

Harve Mathews has returned home from Indiana where he had been for several weeks He was called there by the illness of Thomas Swango a former resident who died while he was there

Local talent will present "The Path Across the Hill" at the opera house Thursday evening The play is given for the benefit of the Parent Teachers association

RECEPTION

A reception will be given at the Methodist church Wednesday evening to the new members who joined the church during the recent revival Rev A M Wells district superintendent will be present and address the meeting

Mr and Mrs Sylee Woolley of Waukee Iowa are here visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs J T Cramer Mrs Woolley and Mrs Cramer are sisters

Mrs Otis Floyd is dangerously ill with pneumonia at the home of her parents Mr and Mrs Monroe Ferrell southeast of town

Quite a number of Maroa people met with more or less injury by falling on the slippery sidewalks

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February 2

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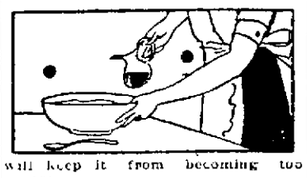


will keep it from becoming too sugary

For Good Health.

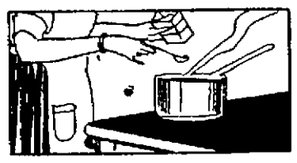
In place of an apple a day eat two vegetables besides potatoes or dried beans to keep the doctor away Cabbage and carrots are especially beneficial when eaten raw

Boiling Vegetables

Vegetables should not be over cooked. In boiling use only enough water to cook them without burning. Overcooking results in an unnecessary loss of mineral salts and vitamins It also injures the flavor and color

Saving of Sugar.

When cooking cranberries put in a



pinch of bicarbonate of soda and less sugar will be required

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

Miss Fannie Bivans will be the speaker at a meeting of the Tau Sigma Delta club of the Y W C A Thursday evening Miss Bivans will discuss "World Peace" and will talk following the supper During the upper hour the girls will take up the problems of serving and proper table setting This subject will be handled through one of the girls from the Home Economic department of Millikin university

The 1923 club a group of girls who graduated from the Decatur high school in that year have undertaken to do some helpful work for others While doing this they do not intend to neglect the opportunity to make better home makers of themselves

Among their activities will be the making of an entire clothing outfit for a needy girl The sewing for this the girls expect to do themselves and they anticipate much pleasure during these hours of work

Much pleased with the plan adopted by one of the other clubs for a similar series of talks from the Millikin university on timely subjects they have arranged for such a series for themselves Six talks and demonstrations will be given one of which will include demonstrations of food sandwiches and deserts two will be on clothing regarding patterns and materials one will be on house construction and one on house furnishings

The group has planned a pot luck supper for Tuesday evening Feb 5

The Lo See club is planning a ham dinner fry for Tuesday night Feb 5

Miss May K Curren the industrial secretary is preparing the annual report which goes to the national head quarters

Dip day at the association building has been changed from Thursday to Friday and this week is included in the change

SOCIETY RESENTS SUICIDE CHARGE

Washington Angered By Harding's Accusation

BY JOHN EDWIN NLVIN

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Washington Jan 30—Washington's smart set was inclined today to resent the declaration of W P G Harding governor of the Federal Reserve Board of Boston and former head of the Federal Reserve System that the suicide of his daughter Miss Margaret Eliot Harding in Boston was due to the demands made on her by local society

The bereaved father flatly declared that "dancing every night and smoking cigarets had broken down his beautiful daughter's health and caused a nervous condition which resulted in her taking her own life

ADMITS PRESSURE

While society leaders were frankly admitting the social pressure is extreme and that probably ninety per cent of women smoke as well as dance they insist that one of the compelling reasons for Miss Harding's act was the sheer grief followed announcement of the engagement of Stanley Hawks an attache of the state department to another woman

Hawks had been devoted to Miss Harding it was declared and everyone here had expected that they would be married next summer although no formal engagement had been announced

WAS POPULAR

It is certain however that Miss Harding during the ten years she lived in Washington and especially since she came out into society has found the demands on her time very tremendous

Beautiful and of a winsome disposition she has been very popular here and ever since the war has been a factor in the various functions given by exclusive Washington society

STONINGTON MAN SERIOUSLY INJURED

Bernard Ball Hurt While Fixing Lights.

Stonington Jan 30—Bernard Ball thirty years old and an employe of the Stonington electric light plant is in a critical condition in St Vincent's hospital in Taylorville from injuries received about 6 o'clock Tuesday evening At 10 o'clock Wednesday forenoon he was still unconscious

TRYING TO FIX LIGHTS

Mr Ball's injuries were received while he was attempting to adjust the machinery at the light plant to remedy the dimness of the lights An iron bar in some manner struck him in the face and forehead inflicting injuries that may cause his death Some little time after the accident Ball was found in an unconscious condition by Mayor F W Hooper and was taken to the hospital in Taylorville

Mr Ball is a married man He has been in the employ of the plant some time

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MRS. LUCY MILLS OF VANDALIA DEAD

Aged Resident Passes Away Monday.

Vandalia, Jan 30—Mrs Lucy Mills aged about 80 an old resident of this city died Monday night at her home after several weeks illness She had led an active life, being interested in charitable work She was a member of the Methodist church and Missionary societies and took great interest in all works of the church She leaves one daughter Mrs E M Leever and a number of grandchildren The funeral will be held from the Methodist church Thursday afternoon.

MRS BLANKINSHIP

Mrs Cynthia Blankinship aged 88 died Monday at her home on a farm south of this city Funeral from the residence Thursday

Joseph Rothermel became quite sick at the home of his sister, Mrs John Narbrough Sr Monday evening suffering with hernia He was taken at once to the hospital at Effingham by Dr Williams where an operation was performed He is reported doing nicely

Mrs D R Ireland returned Monday from a visit with her children in Chicago

Mrs Edward Biener of East St Louis was the guest of her parents Mr and Mrs George Miller, from Sunday to Tuesday

Mrs J H Brooks went to Decatur Monday to see her daughter Miss Hene who is in training for a nurse at the city hospital and who is reported quite sick

DEATHS.

LEWIS A HAYES

The funeral of Lewis A Hayes will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the residence 1128 South Doheny street The burial will be in Mt Gilead cemetery

MRS IDA DAVIS

The funeral of Mrs Ida Davis will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the Dawson & Wikoff chapel Friends may call at the chapel until time for the funeral The burial will be in Fairlawn cemetery

J H MULLER

J H Muller aged eighty nine years died Wednesday noon at 12 30 in the home of his daughter Mrs H R Ameling 308 Stuart avenue Mrs Muller passed away some time ago Mr Muller is survived by three daughters Mrs H P Ameling and Miss Mary Muller both of Decatur Mrs H P Castlen of Morrisonville and three sons H J Muller of Springfield William Gambriel Muller of East St Louis and Charles Krumsick Muller of Taylorville

Mr Muller was a member of the First Baptist church Funeral services will be conducted from the residence Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock

COOLIDGE POINTS TO OHIO'S RECORD

Washington Jan 30 — President Coolidge at a meeting of the Ohio society commended the lives of Ohio's sons who became presidents as lessons of optimism for the American people.

NEW GERMAN OIL SOLD UNDER WRITTEN GUARANTEE RUBS OUT RHEUMATISM

A remarkable new discovery of German Chemists called Buhler Oil for the relief of Rheumatism Gout and Neuralgia is astonishing the medical world This marvelous oil seems to kill rheumatic pains just as effectively as these other German pain killers—Novocain for painless dentistry and Aspirin for headache pains

Rheumatism in very many cases is due to infectional abscesses (such as a blind pus pocket in a tooth) which give off poisons and which are carried in the blood to the joints and muscles

As everyone knows rheumatism is always painful in damp or cold weather This is due to the fact that the blood vessels contract and get small and the blood stream is not big enough to carry away the poisons which cause the pain In such cases nature needs help The penetrating ingredient in Buhler Oil is intended to relieve this contraction of the blood vessels thus drawing new fresh blood to the affected part neutralizing the poisons and helping the blood to carry them away

Some remarkable results have been the results from the use of Buhler Oil that the American distributors have authorized local druggists to dispense it to rheumatic gout and neuralgia sufferers in this city with a positive written guarantee to return the full purchase price of the first bottle if it does not bring wonderful relief All sufferers should promptly take advantage of this guarantee For sale at Decatur Drug Co Gardner Drug Co I N Fitzgerald Drug Co Frankel Drug Co F W Armstrong

POSTPONE VERDICT IN LELAND CASE

Chicago Jan 30—A decision in the divorce suit of Albert R Leland who named Rev Carl D Case Oak Park minister today was postponed until tomorrow Harold Leland 17 year old son of the complainant was put on the witness stand Asked by counsel for Dr. Case about his conversation with the minister when he said he carried a letter from his mother to Dr Case the boy said he asked the minister for his story

I asked him ther to deny or affirm the charges' said the youth

He threw up his hands and said It is all a terrible mistake or accident' I am not quite sure of the words He told me if this matter came out it would make a disturbance the country over. He went ahead to say that he understood my father was planning divorce proceedings He said that was wrong, that a man in my father's position should be willing to forgive'

BEMENT MAN IN DECATUR HOSPITAL

Bement Jan 30—Alva Palmer is in the Decatur and Macon County hospital since Monday He slipped and fell on the street near the First National Bank at about 8 30 o'clock Monday morning It was necessary to have an X-ray picture made in order to find the extent of his injury This was done at the hospital where he was taken by Dr W G McPherson and Mr Ishmael It was found that one thigh bone was split lengthwise in two places

PRISONERS DIG FOR TWO BODIES

Earth Moved in Lincoln's Hot Beds.

Aurora Ill Jan 30—Digging for the lost bodies of Mrs Warren Lincoln and her brother Byron Shoup was resumed this morning at the Lincoln farm on the Indian Trail First of the places to be spaded up were the hot beds just outside the greenhouse although Lincoln told Chief Michels it was not there that he had buried the headless remains if he interred them at all

It was in the hot beds however that Lincoln was working last spring when he abruptly stopped in his labors and began a recital of a claimed discovery that he had made which caused his wife and Shoup to flee the place the January before At the time he was telling the story the cement block in which he had placed their heads was holding up a corner of his back porch

PRISONERS AT WORK

A half dozen prisoners paroled from the city jail for the work of digging in the hot beds but made slow progress The earth was soft as a result of the recent thaw but was extremely sticky In three hours the space dug was not much more than 20 feet long 8 feet wide and 2 to 3 feet deep

The hot beds cover an area 30 by 100 feet Another group of workers directed by the police continued digging started yesterday in pig sty

MIGHT BE THERE

It was in this pen that Lincoln said he might have placed the bodies because there the ground was soft despite it was winter

If the bodies are not found in the hot beds or the pig pen they will be sought in other places on the farm where ground was protected from the weather by ash piles or other covering Chief Michels is of the opinion that as the digging proceeds there will be helpful hints from Lincoln.

NOT TOUCHED.

A concrete base for open wooden steps which lead from the outside to the cellar of the Lincoln bungalow was to have been cracked open today but was given up at least temporarily when Lincoln and his brother Edward said that the foundation was in place when Warren took the house The two declared that their statements could be confirmed by inquiring of Frank Harrall, who owned the property or the former tenant

URGE INSPECTION OF STATE WARDS

Coroner's Jury Recommends Preventative Steps.

Chicago Jan 30— An immediate inspection of all state institutions by the state fire marshal to determine those that are dangerous to inmates was recommended by the coroner's jury which investigated the fire at the Dunning hospital for the insane In its report the jury found that the physical condition of the buildings that burned was responsible for the death of eighteen inmates and attendants It urged that on the basis of the proposed investigation fire proof buildings be constructed by the state to replace those that contain fire hazards

SEEK AMENDMENTS

Other recommendations were that the laws governing functions of the fire marshal be amended to give him power to inspect state county and municipal buildings and report his findings to the legislature that salaries at institutions be increased to guarantee the required number of capable employes that the director of public welfare immediately provide proper fire equipment at state institutions

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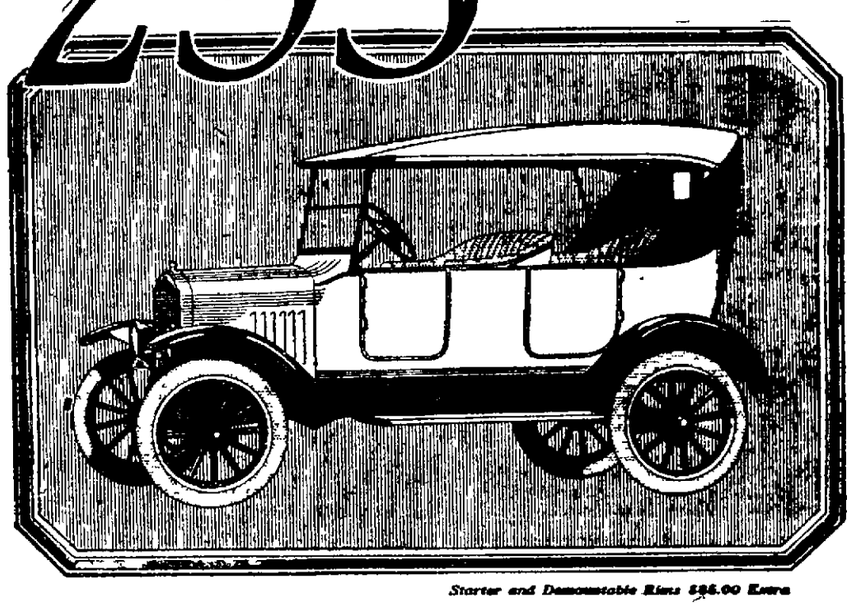

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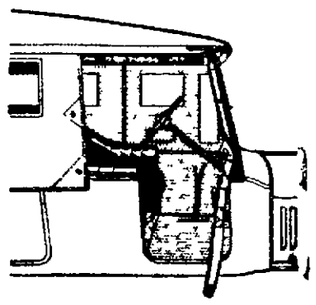

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SECOND FLOOR

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—Canteen boxes in black and colors, with interior fittings, usually $2.95 and $3.50, are special at $1 each.
FIRST FLOOR

Wide Curtain Panels at $1 Each
—They are panels of net and marquisette, 36 inches wide and 2¼ yards long. Used [illegible] to a window. Special, $1.
FIFTH FLOOR

2 Galvanized Wash Tubs for $1
—Durable, heavy wash tubs of galvanized metal, in size No. 2 or 3, are very special priced, 2 for $1.
FOURTH FLOOR

Women's $2.50 Wool Sweaters, $1
—All wool sweaters in slip-over style, sizes 26 to 44, in many colors, usually $2.50 each, special at $1.
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FIFTH FLOOR

25 Boxes of Rinso Powder, $1
—Rinso soap powder, in the regular 8c size, is in the Dollar Sale at a very special price, 25 boxes, $1.
FOURTH FLOOR

Boys' Good Sweaters, $1 Each
—Sweaters of wool and cotton, in coat style, for boys of 7 to 16, are special at $1. Values up to $3.50.
BASEMENT STORE

Fine Stamped Lingerie for $1
—$1.75 stamped night gowns and step-ins of batiste in blue and orchid, stamped in pretty patterns, $1.
FIRST FLOOR

3 Stamped Articles for $1
—You can choose one three-piece buffet set, a dresser scarf and a center piece for $1, or three of one for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

6 Stamped Tea Towels, $1
—They are pretty tea towels of cotton huck, size 18x37 inches, stamped in pretty patterns. 25c values.
FIRST FLOOR

$1.50 Lunch Sets at $1 Each
—They are 5 piece luncheon sets of good materials, stamped in many pretty patterns. $1.50 values, $1 each.
FIRST FLOOR

$1.50 Sheets Special, $1 Each
—Full bleached, 81x90 inch sheets of splendid quality, free from filling, usually $1.50, are special at $1.
FIRST FLOOR

4 Yards of Cretonne for $1
—Cretonnes of many kinds in lovely patterns, colors, 30 inches wide, 30c to $1.25 values, 4 yards for $1.
FIFTH FLOOR

Gushard's Semi-Annual Dollar Day

Gushard's Semi-Annual Dollar Day comes Thursday, with 93 extraordinary Dollar Values. Because quantities are limited, and sales are certain to be rapid, early selection is advised. Dollar Day Bargains are not exchangeable. All sales are final. Dollar Bargains are not sold by mail.

Two 79c House Brooms, $1
—Well made, durable, four-sewed house brooms, regularly priced 79c each, are very special, 2 for $1.
FOURTH FLOOR

Women's Black Silk Hosiery, $1
—Full fashioned silk stockings for women, in sizes 8½, 9, 9½, and 10, are very special at $1. Black only.
BASEMENT STORE

24 Human Hair Nets at $1
—Hair Nets of real human hair, in cap and fringe shape, and in most all colors, are special, 24 for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

2 Rubber Aprons Just $1
—They are pretty rubberized aprons of good quality, in a number of pretty colors. Very special, 2 for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

Sanitary Belt and Apron, $1
—1 Sanitary belt and one sanitary apron, both of best quality, are in the Dollar Sale for $1. $1.50 value.
FIRST FLOOR

3 Phonograph Records Just $1
—Thursday you can have choice of 3 Columbia phonograph records for $1. Limited quantity. None will be played.
MUSIC DEPARTMENT

2½ Yards of Sheeting for $1
—This is bleached sheeting of good, durable quality, free from filling. 81 inches wide 2½ yards, $1.
FIRST FLOOR

Overdrape Fabrics, $1 Yard
—Overdrape fabrics—damask, madras, gauze and kapock, worth $1.75 to $3 a yard, are special priced at $1 yard.
FIFTH FLOOR

Women's $2 to $4 Gloves, $1 Pair

——Women's two-clasp and gauntlet gloves of mocha, French kid, cape, chamois, chamoisette and double silk, in a number of pretty colors, are $1 a pair. $2 to $4 values. Broken sizes, but all sizes are in the assortment.
First Floor.

$1.65 Clothes Baskets, Just $1
—Large willow clothes baskets, very durable, usually $1.65 each, are special Wednesday at $1 each.
FOURTH FLOOR

Two Polly Prim Aprons, $1
—These pretty aprons are made of gingham in checked patterns, trimmed with rick-rack. Reg. 75c value, 2 for $1.
BASEMENT STORE

4 Yards of Pillow Tubing, $1
—42 inch pillow tubing of durable quality, usually priced much higher, is very special, 4 yards for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

$2 Checked Taffetas, $1 Yard
—Checked taffeta silk, 36 inches wide, in white with colored checks, is special at $1 a yard. $2 value.
FIRST FLOOR

2 Aluminum Utensils for $1
—These are Wear-Ever cake pans, pudding pans, sauce pans and other pieces of aluminum, 75c to $1.15 values.
FOURTH FLOOR

All Winter Hats at $1 Each
—All remaining winter hats go in the sale Wednesday at $1 each. Limited quantity, but values are great.
SECOND FLOOR

$2 Fiber Silk Scarfs, $1
—They are full size scarfs of fiber silk, in beautiful Roman striped patterns, with fringed ends, $1 each.
FIRST FLOOR

2 Collar and Cuff Sets, $1
—They are pretty Bramley sets of eyelet work, usually priced 69c and 98c a set. In the sale, 2 for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

12 Boys' Handkerchiefs, $1
—They are plain white, full size white handkerchiefs of cotton. Regular 15c values, special, 12 for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

3 Men's Handkerchiefs, $1
—These are full size handkerchiefs of pure white linen, with wide hems. 50c value, special, 3 for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

5 Turkish Towels Just $1
—These are double thread white Turkish towels of fine quality, used for barber towels. Size 17x28 inches.
FIRST FLOOR

Children's Shoes, $1 Pair
—Infants' and children's shoes of many kinds, in many styles, $1 a pair. $2.50 and $3.50 values.
THIRD FLOOR

Big Aluminum Utensils, $1 Each
—These are large aluminum utensils, covered kettles, percolators, etc. $1.50 to $2.50 values, $1 each.
FOURTH FLOOR

Fine House Dresses for $1
—These charming dresses of gingham and percale are regular $1.50 to $4.50 values. Sizes 36 to 44. $1.
SECOND FLOOR

Women's Shoes—Slippers, $1 Pair

Bronze kid pumps with Louis heels, black satin pumps with baby Louis heels, gun metal pumps with Louis heels, black kid boots with Louis heels, tan calf boots with low heels, black kid boots with Cuban heels, and other shoes and slippers are in this collection. Up to $10 values, special at just $1 pair.

Men's and Women's House Slippers, $1 a Pair

——Women's houseslippers of felt, suede and quilted satin, in many beautiful colors, and men's felt slippers with padded soles, in many colors, are special at $1 a pair. These are really extraordinary values.
SECOND FLOOR

2 Yards of Quaker Nets, $1
—Quaker curtain nets of fine quality, plain or in pretty patterns, 36 inches wide, 2 yards for $1.
FIFTH FLOOR

2 Turkish Towels Just $1
—These are very large, very heavy, double thread white Turkish towels, size 25x50 inches. 2 for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

Children's Slippers, $1 Pair
—Felt house slippers and satin house slippers for boys, girls and children, $1.50 and $2 values, $1 a pair.
THIRD FLOOR

Big Savory Roasters, $1 Each
—$3.50 to $4.50 Savory granite roasters are special at $1 each. They are slightly chipped.
FOURTH FLOOR

Princess Slips Priced $1
—Dainty cambric Princess slips of excellent quality, shadow-proof, usually $1.69, are $1. Sizes 16 to 44.
SECOND FLOOR

Fine Pillow Cases, 4 for $1
—42x36 inch, and 45x36 inch pillow cases of splendid quality, are very special priced Thursday, 4 for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

Little Boys' Suits Priced $1
—They are straight pants suits of corduroy and wool, in sizes 2-3-4-5-8 and 10. $2.50 to $10 values, $1.
THIRD FLOOR

$1.65 Granite Combinettes, $1
—White granite combinettes of heavy quality, complete with covers, usually $1.65, are special at $1 each.
FOURTH FLOOR

Cambric Night Gowns Priced $1
—They are button front gowns of white cambric, with long sleeves. Sizes 15-16-17. $1.50 values, $1 each.
SECOND FLOOR

$6 Silver Mesh Bags for $1
—Very pretty mesh bags of silver, in attractive shapes, with chain handles, are just $1 each. $6 values.
FIRST FLOOR

Pearl Bead Necklaces for $1
—Charming necklaces of graduated pearl beads, in Opera length, $2.50 to $3.50 values, $1 each.
FIRST FLOOR

Pretty Neck Cords Priced $1
—These are charming cords with beautiful pendants in many odd colors and clever shapes. $1.50-$1.75 values.
FIRST FLOOR

Modish Fan Combs Priced $1
—Prettily shaped fan combs in shell, amber and demi-blonde shades, usually $2.50 to $3.50, are just $1 each.
FIRST FLOOR

4 Turkish Towels Just $1
—These are white, double thread turkish towels of excellent quality, size 18x36 35c values, 4 for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

Two-Piece Wash Suits, $1
—Little boys' two-piece wash suits in middy style, sizes 3-4-5, $1.95 to $2.50 values, are special at $1.
THIRD FLOOR

$1.95 and $2.50 House Dresses, $1
—They are pretty house dresses and aprons of gingham and percale in new styles. Sizes 16 to 53. $1 each.
BASEMENT STORE

Two Pretty Blouses for $1
—They are of white voile and dimity, in pretty styles. Sizes 36 to 42. Slightly soiled. $1.50 to $3.50 values.
SECOND FLOOR

French Lace Lingerie Yokes, $1
—These lovely yokes for gowns, chemises and camisoles are hand made of lace. $1.50 values, $1 each.
FIRST FLOOR

2 Yards of Silk Tulle at $1
—72 inch silk tulle of excellent quality, formerly priced $2.50, $1 a yard. All colors except black.
FIRST FLOOR

Women's Un. Suits, 2 for $1
—Women's sleeveless, low neck union suits of medium weight cotton, usually 69c and 75c, special, 2 for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

Men's Muslin Night Shirts, $1
—Men's night shirts of very fine quality white muslin, full cut, usually priced $1.50, are $1 each.
FIRST FLOOR

7 Yards of Fine Muslin, $1
—Bleached muslin of soft, fine quality, free from filling. 36 inches wide, is very special, 7 yards for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

Boys' Fine Knickers, $1 Pr.
—These are knickers of wool and corduroy, sizes 12 to 17. $1.95 to $2.95 values. Just 25 pairs in the sale at $1.
THIRD FLOOR

15c Huck Towels, 12 for $1
—Cotton huck towels of excellent quality, size 16x32 inches, usually 15c each, are special, 12 for $1.
BASEMENT STORE

Silk Blouses Special, $1 Each
—Tuck in blouses of Crepe de Chine, with long and short sleeves, in many colors. $5 to $8.50 values at $1.
SECOND FLOOR

27 Bars of Crystal White Soap and One Cake Creme Oil Toilet Soap for $1

5 Yards All Linen Crash, $1
—All linen crash, 17 inches wide, well suited for hand or tea towels, is very special Thursday, 5 yards, $1.
FIRST FLOOR

2 Children's Sleepers for $1
—They are of flannelette in pink and blue striped patterns. Sizes 2 to 8 years. Regular $1 value, 2 for $1.
THIRD FLOOR

2 Yards of Cotton Damask, $1
—It is mercerized cotton damask of good quality, full 72 inches wide. Very special, 2 yards for $1.
BASEMENT STORE

$2 Corsets and Girdles, $1
—Good corsets and girdles in broken assortments, $2 values, in sizes 21 to 35, are special at $1 each.
SECOND FLOOR

Two Pairs Women's Hose, $1
—Women's Gordon stockings of soft, fine cotton, in black, usually $1 a pair, are 2 pair for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

Women's Silk Stockings, $1 Pr.
—Women's full-fashioned Gordon silk stockings, in black and colors, usually $1.75, are special at $1 a pair.
FIRST FLOOR

4 Pairs of Men's Sox for $1
—Men's Phoenix sox of cotton, in black, grey and cordovan, usually priced 40c a pair, 4 pairs for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

2 Bottles K. D. X. Tonic, $1
—Two full sized bottles of genuine K. D. X. hair tonic, usually $1 a bottle, may be chosen Thursday for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

5 Yards Outing Flannel, $1
—It is 36 inch outing of fine quality, in white and colors, prettily patterned. 5 yards for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

Girls' Hats Special at $1
—They are pretty winter hats for girls and little girls up to 14 years. $1.95 to $8.50 values at $1.
THIRD FLOOR

10 Yards 15c Outing Flannel, $1
—27 inch outing flannel of very good quality, in light colors, usually 15c a yard, special, 10 yards for $1.
BASEMENT STORE

Two Muslin Brassieres, $1
—Brassieres of heavy mesh with elastic inserts, and brassieres of muslin, in sizes 40 to 46, 2 for $1.
SECOND FLOOR

16 Cakes of Bath Soap for $1
—Armour's Auditorium bath soap, well known for its excellence, is very low priced Thursday. 16 big cakes for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

3 Tubes of Tooth Paste, $1
—Pebeco and Pepsodent tooth pastes, both favorites, are in the Dollar Sale. 3 regular size tubes for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

5 Pairs of Bloomers Just $1
—Girls' knit bloomers of good quality "Forest Mills" brand, in pink and white. In sizes 4 to 16. 45c values.
FIRST FLOOR

2 Ivory Powder Boxes, $1
—Ivory powder boxes and hair receivers in attractive shapes, usually 95c each, are special, 2 for $1.
FIRST FLOOR

Large Rag Rugs, Special, $1
—They are beautiful rugs in lovely patterns and colors, woven from new rags. At $1 they are great values.
FIFTH FLOOR

Girls' Dresses, $1 Each
—We have just 50 dresses of gingham and wool, sizes 6 to 16, to go at $1. They are former $1.69 to $8.50 values.
THIRD FLOOR

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For a Better Decatur

THE REVIEW'S PROGRAM.

Roads.
Parks and Play Grounds.
A Forest Preserve.
Railroad Problems.
Better School Facilities.

SOFT PEDAL FOR THE COPS.

In this Safety week please don't play up the police more than is necessary. If they make an arrest of a band of outlaws, it is all right to tell the story at length and to send up a few hearty cheers by way of encouragement and encore.

But it is something else in the minor matters, those in the keeping of our neighbors and ourselves. We should have lights burning in front of the car when going down the street, and also there must be one at the rear.

It is well enough to talk about this, to urge compliance with the regulation; but it is hoped that this week it is not necessary to go much further. We are taking earnestly and good-naturedly with the neighbor to get him to understand the good sense of the regulation, and it seems at times as if we are making progress with him.

And just about the time we are closing the "sale" of that proposition to the neighbor along comes some one and makes a disturbing noise about all the arresting the police will do on that neighbor if he happens over the dead line.

This, as might be expected, interrupts the soulful session we were having. It throws the neighbor into a frame of fighting mind that unfits him for the reception of the sweeter message we are taking to him. It is unfortunate to have somebody yell "police!" just at the moment our gentler and superior ministrations are reaching out to haul in results.

We wish they would soft pedal the policeman this week.

BUT HE WAS ON RIGHT TRACK.

A member of the council urges that we take to one type of pavement and then provide ourselves with equipment to take care of it. While not accepting the suggestion literally, there is merit in it.

It may be expected we shall have more than one style of pavement in town. Some of us prefer the asphalt top, and it is noted there are others who ask something else. It takes diversity in taste to make an interesting world.

But it is hoped we can get along without too many kinds of pavement. We might for a time decide to confine ourselves to three, or possibly four, and this number will provide the kind that should meet any emergency that is likely to arise in our town.

When the member of the council made his suggestion of a single kind of pavement an effort was on to introduce an entirely new variety into the town, that is new for us. Probably what the member had in mind was that we now have sufficient varieties of pavement to supply all reasonable local demand, therefore it isn't wise to add another. He may be right in this—at any rate he was acting on the safe side.

We are almost disappointed that he didn't win more of the councilmen over to his view.

WANT MAN WHO WILL LIKE IT.

Concerning the congressional race in this district, here is suggestion of a new issue, or it might be better to call it precaution.

It is noted that Charles Adkins on the Republican side is passing his nominating petition in all counties of the district. There is no objection to this, for Mr. Adkins is a smiling individual who does that kind of thing handsomely as well as gracefully.

But we would like to inquire what assurance Mr. Adkins is prepared to offer that he will like the work and life in congress and in Washington if he is sent there. Recent developments warn us that our member may not like Washington, that he will quit the life after a couple of terms.

This is annoying, also it partakes of lost motion. Just about the time he begins to be useful, more serviceable because of experience and certain rules they have touching promotion in Washington, he drops out and all those beans are spilled.

There is another man running for congress and his name is George Fulk. The point we mention is one he has had in mind, and he is in position to give us assurance that life in Washington is to his liking. He was thoughtful enough to try that life and make sure about it. He didn't wish to trifle with voters of the district by asking something that after a little while might not prove to his liking.

Mr. Fulk lived in Washington and tested this thing, and we are rather taken with his forethought in the matter.

WOULD MAKE CHANGES.

Secretary Denby of the navy says his action in the matter of the oil leases was all right and that he would do it over again.

Possibly he would, but if he possessed his present knowledge in this matter he would go about doing it some other way. At least we hope he would, taking him to be an honest man who appreciates the need of avoiding the appearance of corruption.

It is recalled that much in the way of appreciation and praise was heaped on Mr. Denby by the press of the country when President Harding selected him for the cabinet. Turn back to newspaper files of that time and you will learn that Denby had the indorsement of about everybody heard from. In fact there was so much of this that a few cautious ones began to look around for propaganda.

None was found, so practically everybody considered Denby about the happiest selection made by Mr. Harding. It was due from Denby to do his best, to justify all the fine and handsome things said of him.

We are almost glad to hear him say that what he did was all right and that he would do it over again; there is a tone to this that seems to come from a clear conscience. But surely we should expect him to do it differently next time. Yes, he would; that is if he is the kind of man all of us said.

ALL FUSSED AND MIXED UP.

They asked one of the bosses in the house building or furnishing line if he would meet the new scale of higher wage demands, and he answered that of course he would.

Also he told that others of the bosses would do the same. But he realizes this is likely to cut down the work that is offered, and he is bracing himself to meet this situation. He plans to let about half his men go, keeping the better workmen, and with these he will take care of the diminished business that will be offered him.

This will give us another installment of something we have had for the past two or three years. The workmen who are laid off must find something to do, just as others have done heretofore.

The way to get something to do in a situation of this kind is to offer to do it for less money, just the kind of offers that have been going the rounds for three years. One may expect that a little more of the work will be handled outside the "organized" shops.

Just what will this practice lead to in a period of a few more years? Better have a thought for the goose that lays the golden egg.

EVERY DAY IN THE YEAR.

A man from railroad circles comes downtown to tell one of our civic clubs about "Safety." He did have something to say.

It is something that must be practiced all seasons of the year, a thing that calls for attention from all of us all the time. This railroad man knows, for it is something that is always before the house in his line of work. In railroad circles responsible heads preach Safety all the time, having discovered it is the only way to get results.

It is something that applies to all of us in this age. It is little help to any of us to play safe for a week and then forget during the other fifty-one.

The danger is practically the same with us all days of the year. If we get careless during some of these days, we may not be here to hear the rest of the story. The good practices of this week are not like the fabled resolutions made at New Year's; we must not drop these.

ALL MISSED BIG SHOW.

There is a thing we miss in all the stories of the 49'ers and 50's who went west to dig gold. Somehow or other they were not impressed by the big display of climate that California must have had on at that early day.

It wasn't because they were unobservant men, for as a matter of fact they told us about everything else on the program. We look over a hundred chapters of the weird and sometimes woolly tale, and we find everything except the "Climate."

We don't know just what to make of this big omission. We can't believe that California didn't have the climate then, and it is equally hard to believe it was the only thing our observers missed.

We would like to have help on this problem.

Treasurer Coffman asks us to be patient for just a few days, when he will write us a letter and tell us about it. And Uncle Sam never fails to deliver that letter.

Put on your rubbers, have faith in your courage, mind your step, and then you may be able to make the street crossing.

We assure former neighbors who are in California and Florida that they are missing a heap of things in big weather.

Hoppe and Schaefer are coming to town, and they are another temptation that will tear a big hole in that dollar bill.

Having spent $120,000 in telephone improvements and additions, they now find a place where they can put $75,000 more.

If you don't happen to have a lamp for your bicycle, just leave the wheel home at nightfall and sidestep a lot of consequences.

She ran into a curb and smashed three wheels of her car, and she hopes that will pass as a world's record.

Champaign county pays more for road oil than they asked us, and now we wonder just where this leaves us.

So far it is not demonstrated how we are to get and hold the attention of the jaywalker.

Tom Shoaff was a good fellow and sent along that dollar; W. J. Magee will see that good use is made of it.

But in time we shall get by the first hundred years.

Bubble, Bubble, Toil and Trouble

Ten Years Ago Today in Decatur

JANUARY 30, 1914.

R. H. Carr won the grand sweepstakes in the Macon County corn growers' show at Macon.

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A chorus of 500 elementary school pupils trained by Miss Minerva C. Hall, supervisor of music, rendered the cantata "The Walrus and the Carpenter" in a marvelous manner in the high school auditorium.

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Edward Morris, who had conducted a tailor shop in the Arcade hotel building for sixteen years, took a lease on the building and planned to conduct the hotel.

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Friends of E. L. Harris surprised him at his home, the occasion being his birthday.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

Notice was received by the manager of the Western Union Telegraph Co. that rates would be reduced on telegraph money orders.

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The Olio club of Pana entertained in honor of Mrs. E. M. Bacon of Decatur, who was president of the State Federation of Woman's Clubs.

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Rabbits were being eaten in Decatur more than ever. One dealer had sold 2000 so far that winter.

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Miss Clara N. Hawkes was engaged as a new teacher in the high school.

ABOUT TOWN

A BUSINESS woman who heads an important organization in the city was discussing the fact that few girls today know how to cook, in spite of the fact that year by year the servant question grows "more so." She insists that every business woman should cook and be able to run a home before she goes to work down town.

"I could start in tomorrow," she said, "and in a very short time be doing every bit of the work of a house, including the washing and ironing, for I was taught to do it."

She laughed as she told of her first experience in making biscuits.

"Mother told me how to do it and then stood by while I started, giving me instructions as I went along. I looked at the lard, the flour and the milk, all in there together, and decided I didn't want to put my hands into it. I told her I didn't like to do it, it looked messy."

"'Well,' mother said, 'you mean to put it into your stomach, don't you? If it is going to be fit for your stomach you needn't worry about your hands.' As I still hesitated she leaned over and slapped my hand rather hard, and in they went into the dough."

"I often think of it when I have something I don't want to handle, such as raw meat, or dough, and know that if it is to be fit for my stomach, just as mother said, it is fit for my hands."

From the People

Wheat Not Main Crop.

Mitchell, S. D., Jan. 28, 1924.

Editor Review:

There are always "crabbers" everywhere;

Way out here, as well as there.

It may be true, we had too many banks, but with all due respect to Mark Sullivan, I write to advise you that wheat is NOT the big end of the products of South Dakota. We can raise anything that you can raise in what you are frequently pleased to term God's country. I have lived both places, and I know whereof I speak, but there is one thing we do not have such a very large crop of, thank the Lord, and that is pessimism and we do have plenty of pep. We need the cars more than the people in the east, we have farther to go.

We still have the land which has produced our bumper crops, never better than the past year, we also still have some of the crops to hold for better prices. If I am not mistaken, there have been two or three bank failures in the state of Illinois very recently. We certainly have all kinds of politics, but mostly Republican and we stood for Coolidge before any of you knew whether you wanted to or not. Of course, being Democratic you cannot appreciate that.

My very best to all old friends and tell them to come out and spend the summer with us in the finest country in the world.

ANASTASIA STEELE TUTTLE.

Regarding Bonds.

Sullivan, Ill. Jan. 29, 1924.

Editor Review: — In answer to an article in The Review of Jan. 28 in regard to extending credit to the farmer. If the bonds that are being sold were taxable, the banks would have plenty of money and the farmer and the country would be in better condition. The farmer and the people that have no bonds pay the tax the bond holder should have. Isn't that rotten and unfair?

Yours,
J. W. CAZIER.

REVIEW BUREAU OF INFORMATION

Catlin Wreck.

Editor, Review—Can you give me the date of the Wabash wreck at Catlin in which Mail Clerk Harry Kairns was killed?

REVIEW READER.

The wreck occurred Sept. 20, 1906, when passenger train No. 8 hit a freight train at Catlin. Besides Mr. Kairns, three other men were killed and a score or more of persons injured.

Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest.

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LAUGHTER.

'Tis well to laugh and sing and jest
When hearts are at their merriest,
'Tis well to fling the barb of wit
When joy has kissed the tip of it,
But silence is a sweeter thing
Than clever words which bite and sting.

The phrase which brings a smile to birth
And lights the eye with gentle mirth
Is conversation's fairest gem
In friendship's golden diadem.
But oh, be sure whate'er you do
That all who hear may laugh with you.

However bright, however smart,
Drive not your jest into the heart.
'Twere better silence dull to keep
Than send another home to weep;
'Twere better not to speak at all
Than poison from your lips should fall.

Comedian, scattering smiles of cheer,
You shall be loved as you revere
What men hold sacred. Never touch
The loveliness men value much:
There are some shrines in every breast
Too pure for mockery or jest.

Laughter should set the eyes aglow,
Not add unto another's woe,
Laughter should soothe the pain of care,
Not give an extra pang to bear:
'Twere better that the brilliant mind
Seem dull than it should prove unkind.

Little Benny's Notebook

This afternoon us fellows was standing erround tawking about diffrent subjecks sutch as wich one had the smallest feet and wat of it if they did, and Leroy Shoosters rich cuzzin Raymin climbed up and sat on top of the letter box as if he thawt he owned it, Sam Cross saying, Hay Raymin, you better get down off of there, you aint allowed to do that.

Who said I aint? Raymin sed, and Sid Hunt sed, You better look out, thats agenst the law, setting on there is. Youre libel to get arrested, he sed.

Aw, wat do I care for the law? Raymin sed. My father owns so mutch money he'd buy me a hundred letter boxes if I wunted them, ony I dont wunt them because I wouldent be bothered with them erround. Dont my father give me 2 dollers a week spending money jest to spend? he sed.

Well, those letter boxes belongs to the government and even letter carriers aint sipposed to sit on them, you'd better be carefill, thats all I got to say, I sed.

Aw rats, if your father had as mutch money as wat my father has you wouldent be scared to sit on letter boxes either, my father is thinking of giving me 3 dollers a week spending money inated of 2, Raymin sed.

Wich jest then a fearse voice sed, Get down off of that, or Ill run you in, wats a matter with you? Being Flatfoot the cop standing there, and Raymin got off so quick he fell off, and Flatfoot kepp on going and us fellows started to laff at Raymin like enything, saying Wy dident you stay on, Raymin? Wats a matter, Raymin? Wy dident you tell Him all about your father? Wy dont you run after him now and tell him, Raymin?

Proving no matter who you are you cant allways brake the law.

LEE PAPE

The Story Of Decatur

By E. B. Hitchcock

CHAPTER 59.

THRIFT HIS WATCHWORD.

John Ullrich Had Capital of Five Dollars When He Landed in America, But Left Millions.

Not a building now standing on Lincoln Square was there when John Ullrich first came to Decatur. The square itself was a feed yard with a well in the center which was used by farmers for watering their horses. They tied their horses around at hitch racks. The second brick court house stood to the south and east of the center of the square. Where the Lincoln Square theater now stands were the unfinished walls of a building erected by William E. Crissey. West's Drug store corner was occupied by Roberts' drug store in a frame building.

What changes John Ullrich saw during his long life in Decatur, from 1856 to 1919, more than three score years.

NEVER IN POLITICS.

During all that time he exerted an influence in local affairs that no one could deny, yet he was never in politics. His only public service in an official capacity was as a member of the board of education. When it was announced that the new Ullrich school would be named in his honor, Mr. Ullrich smiled in a quiet, pleased way, and said simply, "That's nice."

He was always simple and to the point, was John Ullrich. Nobody ever need have had a doubt as to where he stood on any matter; it was so easy to get a direct answer from him to an honest inquiry.

HE CHOSE DECATUR.

Rev. N. S. Haynes paid touching tribute to his friend John Ullrich at the time of his death and one thing in particular that Mr. Haynes said might well be remembered at this time: "John Ullrich was one of the large products of the city." He was born in 1833, he came to Decatur in 1856 and he died in 1919. Decatur was his home for all except the early years of his life. Where one elects to spend his life is more important than where one happens to be born. He was born in Renish, Bavaria, but he lived in Decatur, Illinois.

John Ullrich was the only child of Henry Ullrich and Annie Mary Bursh. He went to school from his fifth to his seventeenth year. When he was seventeen he heard much about America as a land of promise and he decided to come here to seek his fortune. When he bade goodbye to his old grandmother, she said to him:

"I have been preaching to you for a good many years. I have just one more thing to say. Always be a gentleman when you are in the company of a woman."

FIVE DOLLARS CAPITAL.

When he disembarked at New Orleans in 1850, John Ullrich had five dollars as his entire capital. When he died he left an estate estimated at two million dollars. He made all that fortune right here in Decatur, and he made it all honestly.

It is told that John Ullrich paid a visit to the Railroad Bank on Merchant street not long after his arrival in Decatur. He told the banker that he was going into the grocery business, and asked for credit. The banker looked him over, from the top of his blond head to his awkward feet, and then he said, "All right, young man, we'll give you credit up to $10,000."

John Ullrich used to say that he never could understand how that banker made up his mind so quickly, but those who knew John Ullrich best cannot be surprised at the confidence he inspired even at this early period in his career.

PRELIMINARY VISIT.

But his first visit to Decatur had been in 1855 when he came to look things over. He returned in 1856 to make Decatur his home for the rest of his life.

His first business was the retail grocery business, which soon developed into a wholesale business.

When John Ullrich's father came from Germany in 1857 his son drove him over from Lafayette, Indiana, and the older man saw the prairies of Illinois for the first time. "Son, this is the finest land I have ever seen." The son replied, "I have no money with which to buy land." The father said: "Get some!"

THOUSANDS OF ACRES.

In 1876 John Ullrich began investing in Illinois land. He kept on buying land until he held around 10,000 acres in the center of the state, at one time. Before his death he divided much of this land among his children, so that his will disposed of only a trifling matter of 3,340 acres of land.

"Thrift" was the word used by John Ullrich when he was asked for the secret of his financial success. He began by saving pennies, and he invested his savings wisely. He was blessed with a strong body and a rugged physique. He had unbounded energy and limitless perseverance. He kept stubbornly on with an undertaking until he had completed his purpose.

OPPORTUNITY.

But it must not be assumed that John Ullrich "pinched" his pennies and got no pleasure out of his riches. He was not niggardly. He was generous toward a friend and gave freely to deserving causes, although he frequently said that no men had a right to anything that he hadn't worked to get. He seldom referred to his own long years of effort, but the experiences he had in his earlier days made him ruthless toward the man who believed that the world owed him a living. He had no use for the weak and incompetent.

"Opportunity to make good is all that any man can ask," was Mr. Ullrich's philosophy.

It was in 1859 that John Ullrich and Elizabeth Litterer were married at Madison, Ind. They had three children, Luetta, the widow of the late Professor Harry Bumstead of Yale University, Lena, the wife of Spencer Ewing of Bloomington, and John H. Ullrich of Decatur.

(To Be Continued)

THE OLD SQUARE AND EAST MAIN STREET IN 1855

This cut was made from a photograph of a picture painted by Robert Whitfield of Rome, N. Y., in 1855. The photograph is the property of J. Pugh Gorin. The mystery as to the whereabouts of the original painting, as told by The Review recently, has never been cleared up. This is about the way things looked when John Ullrich first visited Decatur. The corner to the left was occupied by the Stamper & Condell general store. The second court house is at the extreme right. Next to it is Roberts' drug store, occupying the present site of West's drug store. The Gazette office was in the three-story Leiby building, still standing across the alley from the Farmers State Bank and Trust company. The first Powers building, erected by William L. Powers, comes next. Further on was Griswold's hardware store. Across the street there was a restaurant, said to have been kept by Tom Albert. W. J. Brown's drug store was beyond that.

Up and Down Broadway

BY JAMES W. DEAN.

New York, Jan. 30—See-sawing up and down Broadway for seven days and seven nights I saw Ada Mae Weeks drop her last name and become a full-fledged musical comedy star in "Lollipop".....Saw Beatrice Lillie, one of the hits of "Charlot's Revue" from London. She tells me that she was born in Toronto, Canada, and that when she sought an opportunity on the American stage, Broadway managers wouldn't give her a look-in. Now she comes to Broadway as a star via London.....Saw the radiant Constance Binney in "Sweet Little Devil" a very zestful musical comedy in which she looked as pretty as any magazine-cover girl. Before long you'll be fox-trotting to "Virginia" and "Jijibo," the song hits of the show.....Saw Zona Gale's "Mister Pitt," a play which follows none of the recognized forms of the drama, yet projects a perfect characterization. Walter Huston leaps to the front rank of American actors through his work in this .....

SAW W. C. FIELDS, the funniest man on Broadway. He told me how comedians doctor gags to make them scream lines. For instance, one line originally read, "I knew that mare was no good. She succumbed right in front of the police station." The audience didn't laugh. The next night Fields changed it to "I knew that horse was a bum. He dropped dead right in front of the police station." That went big. In comedy, as in almost everything else, it isn't so much what you say as how you say it .....Saw Mabel Normand in "The Extra Girl." If Charlie Chaplin ever had a rival on the screen it is Mabel Normand.....

SAW Will Page who helps Flo Ziegfeld glorify the American girl. He tells me that Cissie Loftus is to be featured in the Follies. That show needs a few outstanding personalities, such as Cissie, to make it the equal of its forerunners.....Saw the second issue of the "American Mercury," new revue magazine of Mencken and Nathan. The printing of Eugene O'Neill's "All God's Chillun Got Wings" in it is the greatest magazine achievement of months .....Saw Arnold Korff, a magnificent actor, in Luigi Pirandello's "The Living Mask." More of him anon.

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OF recent books the writer recommends the following: "The Midlander," "The Owl's House," "The Snob," "The Rover," "The Story of the Bible" and "A Lost Lady."

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CURRENT plays which the writer likes are "Outward Bound," "The Miracle," "Sun Up," "Cyrano de Bergerac," "Roseanne" and "St. Joan." Two excellent plays of last season which remain are "Rain" and "Seventh Heaven."

MEXICO IS SEEKING $100,000,000 LOAN

Mexico City, Jan. 30—(AP)—Formal negotiations for a loan of $100,000,000 to the Mexican government have been opened between finance Minister Pani and a group of American bankers represented by J. M. Buchner, after a series of informal meetings, according to the newspaper Excelsior.

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THE POISONED PIRL.

BEGIN HERE TODAY.

A novelist, seeking nocturnal adventure, waits in Grosvenor Square, London. Perceiving a silent figure in white standing motionless against a railing he investigates. He finds a girl in evening dress and beside her a man. The man declares he is a passerby who wonders what is wrong with the girl.

To every advance made by the two men the girl replies, "Go away." Finally she says she has taken poison and wants to die. The novelist asks the strange man to hail a taxi to take the girl to Middlesex hospital. On the way to the hospital the girl fights to jump from the cab. Calling at the hospital early the following morning the writer finds the girl conscious. She reproaches him for saving her life.

The nurse in charge explains that the girl is recovering but says that she has had a very narrow escape from death. The nurse asks the girl to give her name and home address.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

A smile crossed the girl's features as she said: "Lady Grace Tarset. My address is 216 Grosvenor Square."

"What!" said the Sister, and moved her eyebrows as if to say: "She's wandering."

"Yes," said Lady Grace, "what's the matter? My father's the Marquis of Goswyn. Perhaps someone would let him know, since you're all been kind enough to prevent me dying when I wanted to."

There was a silence, but her words carried conviction: "Very well, your ladyship," said the Sister, but I stopped her.

"Don't telephone yet," I said. "And, by the way, don't tell anybody about this. Don't tell anybody of any kind. Otherwise there may be trouble."

As soon as the Sister left us, Lady Grace turned to me and said: "Why did you tell her that? My father must be awfully anxious."

"I know, but do you think he'll want this to get about? Don't you see it'll get into the papers?"

"I don't care."

"But he'll care. What I want to do, if you'll let me, is to go and see him in a few minutes. And no doubt he'll be able to get you removed in an ambulance, this morning, and nobody will know."

She sighed: "Just as you like. I know you mean to be kind. I suppose I ought to thank you for saving my life, I don't."

"Life isn't as bad as it looks today," I told her. "And even if it is, even if it is agony, don't be afraid of emotion. Don't be afraid of being hurt; while you're capable of feeling pain, you are living, and all life is glorious."

She looked interested, then gave a cynical little laugh: "That's all very well, I know. Live life as fully as you can, but not when it's full of misery."

I gripped her hand closer. "Look here," I said. "I fear I'm very impertinent, but, after all, events have brought us into unusually close touch. Tell me why you tried to kill yourself. I'll be discreet, and if anything can be done to help you, I swear I'll do it."

She pressed my hand slightly, and her smile was less cynical. "You're very kind, but I'm afraid you can't do anything. I don't mind telling you. I don't mind telling you. I don't mind telling anything. I'm in love with a man. His name is Carlo Scarlati. He's a pianist."

"Yes," I said, "I know his name."

"I suppose it's silly of me, but I met him after one of his concerts, and I couldn't help loving him. Of course, father was awfully angry, so we had to meet on the sly. Oh, we were so happy. But it didn't last. I don't know why, he was so moody, and we quarreled. But I did love him so. Still ..... yesterday, at lunch, I just said something, and he got angry."

"What did you say?" I asked.

Her eyes filled with tears. "I told him not to make so much noise eating his soup." The sight of her tears prevented my laughing, so she went on: "I wouldn't have thought he'd mind such a little thing, but he was angry. When I came back from the theater, I found all my letters sent back to me. He said that all was over between us. I nearly went mad. I cried a long time. Then I thought of killing myself, and I went into mother's room. She was asleep. I took her little bottle of tablets which she has for insomnia. But I did want to see him again, just to try and make it up. So I ran out, just as I was. I suppose I must have crossed the square. Then I felt it was no good. He'd never forgive me, for we'd quarreled before. So ..... I don't know. I swallowed the tablets. I don't know how many. I don't know anything. I just stood there waiting to die." She paused. When her tears stopped, I wiped her eyes. Then, bending down to her, I said:

"Now, don't cry. It'll be all right. I'll go round and see your father now; he'll have you taken away this morning. As for Mr. Scarlati..... I'm going to get him back for you."

III.

MY interview with the marquis was short; he obviously considered it internal impertinence for me to save his daughter's life. He also suspected me of something or other, probably trying to murder her, or blackmail him. At least, that was my impression; in the end I found out that the unfortunate peer was terrified. He didn't care so much whether six daughters were poisoned; what he feared was that the incident would get into the papers. I had to do everything, to telephone for an ambulance, to ring the bell for the palpitating marquis so that he might order his car. Finally, I got him and the vehicles off to the hospital. Of one thing I felt sure: if Lady Grace were still sleepy from the effects of laudanum, I had sent her somebody who would wake her up.

Now came the more delicate part of the business. I had to find Mr. Scarlati, which was easy, and to bring him back to the lady with whose karma I had interfered. Here was a difficult job, but by saving the girl's life I had made myself responsible for it. If I didn't want to trouble myself with her, then I ought to have been like the goggler, avoided getting myself mixed up. Moreover, the situation struck me as most unpleasant. I have no prejudice about class or nationality, but I have known pianists, including Italian pianists. The idea of remitting the adorable creature I had resuced into the arms of this organ-grinder was not attractive. I wasn't at all sure that it wouldn't have been better if she'd committed suicide, rather than marry him. Only she'd tried to commit suicide because she couldn't marry him. There was no doubting it. I must hand her over. If I could, to the rolling eye and the raven locks. Disgusting! Still, it was the man who'd broken the match off; he was no fortune

"I TOLD HIM NOT TO MAKE SO MUCH NOISE EATING HIS SOUP."

hunter; perhaps Scarlati was a decent sort.

He was easily located, for two days before he had given a recital at the Albert Hall, where I obtained the name of his hotel. At this hoted, however, a great disappointment would have overwhelmed me if the habit of the adventure had not made me cautious. Realizing that my mission was delicate, and that it might not be easy to see Scarlati, I decided to impersonate one of the employes of the concert agency which dealt with Scarlati's affairs. Thus, I still had some sort of status when the reception clerk informed me that Mr. Carlati had left the hotel by a morning train.

"Oh," I said, remembering my part, "that's very extraordinary. We understood that he wouldn't leave till next week."

Fortunate shot! "We didn't know at all," said the reception clerk. "I suppose he changed his plans."

"Do your know his address?" I asked.

"No. He said that his letters were to be sent to your agency."

I went out, very contrite. Here was a pretty obstacle! Evidently Scarlati had intentionally covered his tracks. He was fleeing from Lady Grace. But, courage! thought I; the whole continent shall not hold him. Still, the continent is a large place, and if I had to wait until news of Scarlati came through the press, Lady Grace might ..... By Jove, I've got it. I remembered that one of Scarlati's eccentricities was to refuse to play upon any piano other than his own. The instrument was accommodated with a special railway truck, which followed the musician everywhere. He might have hastened his departure, but you can't hustle a grand piano so quickly as all that. So I returned to the hotel. "I say," I remarked to the reception clerk, "I'm awfully sorry, but I was so surprised by your telling me that Mr. Scarlati had gone that I forgot to inquire about his piano."

"Oh, we've got it all clear about the piano," said the clerk, irritably. "It'll go tonight."

"Is it properly labeled?"

"I should say so," replied the clerk. "We've had enough trouble with that piano as it is. You can go up for yourself and see, if you like."

"Up," was a manner of speaking, since the piano was in the basement. Anyhow, a boy in buttons conducted me through stone passages to a little room where stood a piano already crated; upon each side was nailed a label reading: Scarlati, Hotel Superbe, Brussels.

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IT was not too late to catch the morning train, and since there was no point in reaching Brussels in the middle of the night, I waited for the evening mail. Packing being a brief operation, I had time to return to Grosvenor Square, where I was told that Lady Grace was ill and could see nobody. After endless parley with the butler, and further difficulties put in my way by a bobbed, modern flapper, secretary to the marquis, I was allowed into the sick room under the supervision of a nurse, who reluctantly left the room and presumably listened at the keyhole. My sleeping beauty was less well now.

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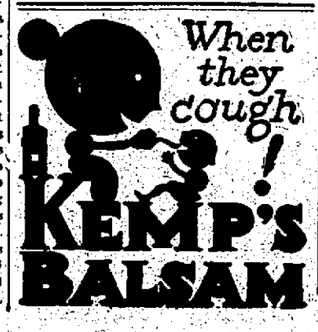

ST. ELMO STUDENT KILLED BY TRAIN

St. Elmo, Jan. 30—Russell Fogler, a student in the St. Elmo high school last year, was accidentally killed Thursday evening by a train at St. James. He lived at Loogootee, and hopped a train, intending to alight at St. James, where the train did not stop. In attempting to leave the train he fell and was killed.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Koster returned home from Danville the middle of last week.

Winton Gibbons, who has a position in Salem, spent the week-end at home.

Wayne V. Stine had his tonsils and adenoids removed last Friday. He is getting along nicely.

P. M. Johnston is reported very ill at this time.

The taxi made an extra trip from here to Vandalia Friday evening, so that a large number of people from here could attend the basketball game which was played between the St. Elmo and Vandalia high school teams.

Rev. C. R. Yost was called six miles north of this town Sunday noon, to preach the funeral sermon of John Logue.

Mrs. Frank Miller of Loogootee died Sunday morning. She was an aunt of Mrs. William Shick of this city.

Mrs. Helderman has returned here to live with her daughter, Mrs. B. F. Shumard. She had been in Sandoval with relatives this winter.

Misses Geneva Shuman of this city and Mabel Robertson of Taylorville, motored to Effingham Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Lena Plank of Mason City, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Neimier. Her sister, Ida returned home with her after passing several weeks visiting.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Martin in Salem, a boy. Mrs. Martin formerly was Miss Nita Muma and for several years a resident of this city.

REVIVAL CLOSED.

The union revival here closed Sunday night and the Methodist church was crowded. Mr. Billeon, the singer left for his home in Indiana after the service.

NEWSPAPERS GO AS FIRST CLASS MAIL

New Order Will Expedite Delivery.

As a result of several months of investigation and study by experts of the post office department, Postmaster General New today issued the first definite, concise and complete program that has ever been put out by the department for the mailing, transmission and delivery of newspapers.

This order is most important. It is far reaching. It gives the same expedition to newspapers as is accorded to first class mail.

The order is the result of painstaking effort on the part of the post office inspectors, under the direction of First Assistant Postmaster General Bartlett. Carefully worded and minute instructions have been issued to all employes engaged in handling the mails, so that there will be no possibility of misunderstanding the importance of getting newspapers to the reader with a minimum of delay.

KEPT GOING.

The essence of the order is that newspapers shall not be mixed with parcels post at any point in their dispatch from the publishers' offices until their delivery to the addressees. Papers shall be handled by themselves and kept in constant transit, not being sent to railway terminals to be reworked. In other words, they are to be handled in the same manner as first class mail.

OTHERS NOT TO SUFFER.

An important feature of the order is that no publication shall be given any less efficient or less expeditious treatment than at present. That means that publications other than newspapers will not suffer one iota from this progressive innovation, made by the post office department.

NO "MIXED MAILS."

Another striking feature of the order is the elimination of sacks of mail which are known to the business world as "mixed mail." Sacks of mixed mail some times contain letters, papers and parcels post, and often times the entire contents were treated as parcels post. This order will prevent a recurrence of that condition.

NOTIFY PUBLISHERS.

Another important feature of the order is that postmasters are required to notify publishers in each instance when they do not hit the dispatch which they advertise to hit; also to notify publishers when they are sending to wrong addresses and to the address of deceased persons. Publishers will also be notified when they are putting up their mail in an incorrect manner.

TO BE LABELLED.

Under the new system, newspapers will be made up in separate sacks plainly labeled with the word "Newspapers." If there are only a few copies of newspapers at the point of dispatch, they will be placed in pouches with first class mail or in separate sacks, even though the sacks are only partially filled.

IMPORTANT STEP.

This order means much to the American public. It is one of the most important and far reaching steps in post office history. It is for the benefit of those who desire to have their newspapers placed before them at as early a moment as possible. This should keep both the city and rural population in closer and quicker touch with their several fields of activities.

SAYS C. OF C. AIDS ANTI-BONUS FIGHT

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 30—Charges that the New York city chamber of commerce and the Merchants Association contributed $20,000 each to finances raised to fight the bonus measures before congress were made by John R. Quinn, national commander of the American Legion.

New Easy Way To Beautify Eyes

No need now to fuss with messy, smudgy cake eye make-ups that run, rub off and smear. A wonderful new liquid has been perfected which can be applied in a few seconds, dries instantly, lasts all day and is absolutely waterproof.

This marvelous new liquid makes the lashes appear long, heavy and beautiful and the brows more lustrous and well arched—without giving them an artificial look. It is being used by thousands because it gives the eyes a new, NATURAL beauty—a wonderful new fascination.

Known as Lashbrow Liquid, it may be had for a few cents at Decatur Drug Co, Gardner Drug Co., I. N. Irwin Drug Co, Frankel Drug Co.

What We Forget Between 15 and 50

Schools teach, and nearly every home applies the rule against coffee and tea for children.

When middle age comes, a great many people remember the facts about the caffeine drug of coffee and tea, and how its regular use may disturb health. Often they have cause to remember what it *has done* to them.

How much better it would be not to forget—and avoid the penalties!

Postum is a pure cereal beverage—delightful, and *safe* for any age—at any time. Good for breakfast at home, for all the family; good for lunch at the club or restaurant; good with the evening meal; good with a late night dinner—good on any occasion. Postum *satisfies*, and it never harms.

Why not be friendly with health, *all* the time?

Postum for Health

"There's a Reason"

Your grocer sells Postum in two forms: Instant Postum (in tins) prepared instantly in the cup by the addition of boiling water. Postum Cereal (in packages) for those who prefer the flavor brought out by boiling fully 20 minutes. The cost of either form is about one-half cent a cup.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE READING ROOM

A free reading room is maintained at 148 West Prairie avenue, opposite the Y. M. C. A., where the Bible and Science and Health and all the writings of Mary Baker Eddy, together with all authorized Christian Science literature may be read, purchased or borrowed. This room is open daily from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. except Sunday and legal holidays, also from 7 to 9 Saturday evenings.

The public is cordially invited to visit our reading room.

First Church of Christ, Scientist

ROUGH DRY

When days are bad and you cannot hang your clothes out of doors to dry, why not send them to the Model? We do all the hard, mussy part.

Dry Service returns 75% of the bundle ready for immediate use, leaving only a few things to iron.

CALL

MAIN 5834

It will bring our man. Quick service.

DECATUR MODEL LAUNDRY CO.

2½ Yds. 55c, 9-4 Bleach Sheeting For $1

THE STORE THAT MAKES THE PRICE

H. S. GEBHART CO.

GREATER DECATUR'S GREATEST STORE

Our 20c 36-in. Bleach Muslin 7 yds. $1

Final Clean-Up Thursday

Down Go Prices To Force Out Broken Lines

Selling Starts At 8:30 Come Before Noon If Possible

$1.50 to $3 Union Suits, $1
—Men's, women's and children's union suits in sizes and styles for all, in wool, lisle and cotton. Regular $1.50 to $3 values, at suit $1

Children's $1 Un. Suits, 43c
—Boys' and girls' heavy fleeced union suits in broken sizes, and children's heavy fleeced black bloomers. Values to $1. Choice 43c

Kayser's Silk Hose at $1 Pr.
—Women's pure silk and glove silk hose in plain and fancy styles, in brown and grey. Broken sizes. Values up to $4.50 at $1

$1.50 Silk & Wool Hose 89c
—Men's and women's silk and wool hose in several color. Very fine quality! Regular $1.50 values for Thursday, at a pair 89c

Wom.'s 50c to 69c Hose, 23c
—Women's heather mixture, white, brown and black silk fibre hose, in broken sizes. Regular 50c and 69c values, special at pair 23c

75c to $1.50 Hose at 43c
—Men's, women's and children's good quality hose that sold up to $1.50 a pair. Special Thursday, your choice at a pair 43c

25c & 35c Hose, Special, 9c
—Men's, children's and infants' good quality cotton hose in broken sizes. Regular 35c values special at 3 pairs for 25c, or at pair 9c

50c Collars Go At 19c Ea.
—Women's neckwear in broken assortment of designs and styles. These collars sold at 50c. Your choice Thursday at each 19c

Women's $2.50 Corsets $1.29
—Thompson's glove-fitting corsets in styles for stout, medium and slender figures. Front and back lace styles. $2.50 value at .. $1.29

Wall-Paper At Half Price
—12,000 rolls of wall-paper to be sold. A large assortment for all rooms. Come in and buy your paper now at great savings. Thursday at ½ PRICE

Toiletries, Half Price
—One lot of powder, creams, puffs, clay and several other articles. You'll find just what you want in this group. Choice at ..... HALF PRICE

All Ivory Half Price
—All our ivory including our Ambre, Shell and Ivory and Amber sets. Many numbers to select from. Choice Thursday at ..... HALF PRICE

Fancy Belts Half Price
—Women's fancy belts that sold up to $5.95. There are many new and desired styles. We must get our stock down. Your choice at ..... HALF PRICE

Men's, Wom.'s, K'chiefs 10c
—Men's and women's good quality white handkerchiefs of sub-standard stock. Just 20 dozen left to sell. Your choice Thursday at 10c

Again Thursday

$35 Coats

To Be Sacrificed At

$14.95

—The greatest coat bargain of the year. Your choice of a great stock of Velour, sport and plush coats at $14.95. The fabrics are very fine and they are all lined and warmly interlined and come in brown and navy. May be chosen in plains, plaids or stripes. In all sizes from 16 to 48. Regular $35 values, choice at $14.95.

$1 Collars Go At 50c Each
—Women's lace collars and all linen collar and cuff sets, in a large range of good styles. Values to $1. Your choice at each 50c

$1.95 Spanish Silk Lace, $1
—Beautiful Spanish silk lace in flouncing and all-over effects in many wanted colors. Regular $1.95 retailer, special at a yard $1

$1 Fur Bandings, 50c Yard
—Beautiful black coney fur bandings, very fine quality. Our entire stock must be closed out Thursday. $1 values, at a yard 50c

Up to $5 Shoes At $2 Pair
—Women's brown calf oxfords, low heels; Bamboo strap Spanish heels and men's shoes and oxfords, all in broken sizes. At a pair $2

Up to $6.95 Shoes, $3 Pair
—Brown, black and bamboo suede oxfords with flat heels, patent bamboo trimmed oxfords with flat heels and suede black fancy strips. Pair.. $3

27x52 Axmnstr. Rugs $2.95
—Genuine Alexander Smith Axminster Rugs, in a large assortment of colors and designs. Regular $4 retailer, each $2.95

9x12 Congol'm Rugs, $10.95
—Genuine Gold Seal Congoleum rugs, borderless and 9x12 in size. Many patterns and colors. Wonderful bargain at each $10.95

9x12 Congol'm Rugs, $12.75
—Genuine Gold Seal Congoleum rugs, 9x12 in size, and with neat borders. Several patterns and colors. Slightly imperfect. Special $12.75

Aluminum Buckets at 50c
—Great big, 8-quart size aluminum buckets, very heavy gauge and 99% pure. The kind that will wear and give service 50c

Aluminum Dish Pans, 50c
—Heavy gauge pure aluminum dish pans, in either 8-quart or 10-quart size. They have the sun-ray finish and very special at each .. 50c

Aluminum Roasters at 50c
—Great big aluminum roasters, 10-inch double size. They are heavy gauge and of excellent quality. Special for Thursday's selling, each ... 50c

Alum. Sauce Pan Sets, 50c
—1, 1½ and 2 quart sauce pan sets, just the kind women want and need. All pure aluminum and of good quality. The set of three for .. 50c

Wom's Gingham Aprons $1
—Women's gingham apron-dresses in several new and desired styles, and in either solid colors or plaids. $2 values, at each $1

Children's Billy Burkes, $1
—Children's Billy Burkes of very fine quality flannelettes with nursery designs. Regular $1.39 values, at each $1

Men's Pajamas at $1 Suit
—Men's pajamas of good quality percales in many colors, in either plains, checks or stripes. Sizes A to D. Choice at $1

Dollar Specials in Domestics & Linens

Table Damask, Turkish Towels
$1.69, 54-in. pure linen table damask, yd. $1
2½ yds. 50c mercerized table damask, $1
$1.50, 15x15 hem'd mercer. napkins, doz. $1
10 yds. 15c, 17-in. tea toweling, special $1
6 yds. 29c Dons Imp. all linen toweling, $1
4 yds. 35c 18-in. unbleach linen toweling $1
3 yds. 50c, 18-in. Bransley's linen towel'g $1

Sheets and Cases
$1.65 Tomahawk bleach seamless sheets $1
4 35c bleached soft spun pillow cases, $1
3 45c Everwear bleached pillow cases, $1
$1.25, 3 lbs. 72x90 spread, cotton batts, $1

Table Cloths, Lunch Cloths
$1.50 r'nd scallop or sq. hemstitch cloth $1
60x60 Jap. Blue Print table cloths, at $1
$1.50, Rosemary mercerized lunch cloths $1

Percales, Outing Flannel
10 yds. 15c double fold percales, colors, $1
6 yds. 25c yard wide percales, all colors, $1
3 yds. 45c featherproof bed ticking, at $1
4 yds. 35c yd. wide light outing flannels $1
5 yds. 79c yd. wide light outing flannels $1
6 yds. 25c, 27-in. white Shaker flannel, $1

White Goods, Muslin,
3 yds. 39c Indian Head bleach, yd. wide $1
10 yds. 15c unbleach muslin fine quality $1
8 yds. 18c yd. wide unbleach muslin for $1
6 yds. 25c, 40-in. unbleached muslin, $1
6 yds. 25c finest bleached muslin special $1
3 yds. 45c pillow tubings in all widths $1
2½ yds. 55c, 87-in. unbleached sheeting, $1

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SOCIAL NEWS

DECATUR PEOPLE WIN GOLF HONORS IN CHANDLER, ARIZ.

While Decatur stay-at-homes have been remaining indoors as much as possible recently, owing to the slushy conditions of the streets and the general weather several Decatur persons are enjoying summer-time weather in warmer climates among their chief forms of amusements being golf.

Dr and Mrs L P Walbridge and their niece Mis Edwina Irving, daughter of Mrs E P Irving Millikin Place, are figuring in golf tournaments in Chandler Ariz according to word received by friends here and according to newspaper reports in Phoenix Arizona Open golf tournaments are played each week on Wednesday and Sunday and in the Sunday's play Miss Irving was winner in the blind bogey On Thursday, blind bogey was played with Dr Walbridge placing third and ladies' first prize being awarded Miss Irving The Decatur young woman is attracting much attention as a golfer and is in demand as a partner in the men's scratch foursomes Mrs Walbridge writes that the weather is delightful, being warm and balmy The Decatur people are stopping at the San Marcus

Dr and Mrs Walbridge and Miss Irving are leaving Arizona for Los Angeles Cal where they expect to be after Feb 1 in the Ambassador Hotel They will pass the rest of the winter in California

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Sigma Alpha Iota a sorority announces the pledging of Miss Henrietta Hill of Mride Ill and Miss Doris Shumaker of Evansville

The sorority also announces the pledging of Mrs Howard Helmick and Mrs Doris Newman Clippenger both of the Conservatory of Music as associate members

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Miss Emma Miller left Wednesday morning for Clinton where she was called on account of the illness of her sister

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SORORITY GIRLS TO HEAR PADEREWSKI

Twenty one members of Sigma Alpha Iota musical sorority in the James Millikin university plan to attend the concert to be given by Ignace Jan Paderewski Thursday evening in Springfield the young women leaving on the special car from Decatur at 6 o clock and returning on the car immediately following the performance

The sorority girls who will go include the following Misses Mary Edith Caldwell Gladys Phillips Helen Will Helen Hartfield Lois Aber Kathleen Thompson Carnell Beard Doris Lyons Ruth Johnson Charlotte Work Wilma Hughey Sylvia Fisk Ruth Brown Vivienne Mossbarger Helen Louise Caldwell Dorothy Forman Martha Colvin Margaret Frank Myrtle Kleyer Martha Clements and Doris Spirl Miss Lois Lyons and Miss Gertrude Phillips will accompany their sisters and Miss Aimee Dunn and Miss Helen Ashley both of the Conservatory will also go with the sorority girls to Springfield

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Miss Julia Bascom entertained the members of her Mah Jongg club in her home West William street Tuesday evening with three tables at play High score prize was awarded Miss Josephine Davis Following the play dainty refreshments were served by the hostess The next meeting will be Tuesday evening Feb 5 in the home of Miss Fleta Davis West Eldorado street

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Prof F D Townsley gave an interesting talk on the subject, 'Radio' before the members of the College Club Tuesday evening in the Millikin university the speaker explaining the workings of the receiving set with diagrams and charts He explained the development of the radio and illustrated it by tuning in with satisfactory results

Mrs Gordon Brinley of New York will read from Chaucer before the members of the College Club at the next meeting which will be on Feb 11

The home of Mr and Mrs Albert T Mills Oak Crest, was the scene of a merry party Saturday evening, at which time their daughter Miss Elizabeth was hostess to the members of the Dramatic club of the Roosevelt Junior High school and their coach, Miss Norma Connor, in a farewell party for the members of the Nine A class who enter High school this semester The evening was pleasantly spent in games and music Miss Connor gave a splendid reading Miss Margaret Kuhle gave a whistling solo and Felix Manley sang In the contests, prizes were awarded Miss Dorothy Reinhart Felix Manley and Margaret Kuhle

Refreshments of ice cream cake and cocoa were served and the evening proved an enjoyable one

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WOMAN'S CLUB SHOULD FURTHER COMMUNITY WORK

The importance of the Woman's Club in every community and what the clubs can do to further the community was told in an interesting manner by Mrs George Thomas Palmer of Springfield Illinois State President of Woman's Clubs at the meeting of the General Club Tuesday evening in the Congregational church

FOSTER MANY PROJECTS

The Woman's Clubs have fostered all kinds of community projects and have financed many expensive community affairs but that is not enough according to Mrs Palmer they must do things for themselves for their own interests Every town of reasonable size should have a club building, or a community building The speaker told of the women of a southern Illinois town erecting and paying for a memorial fountain which cost $20,000 in memory of the soldiers This town does not have a water system of its own and does not have paved streets What should have been done was to erect a community house for the returned soldiers to enjoy and where the clubs of the town could meet and enjoy themselves

Mrs Palmer stressed the endowment fund and the necessity of having large funds She spoke of the general club work and the importance of the Woman's Club Federation

BROADCAST TALK

During the coming year the Chicago Daily News W M A Q broadcasting station will broadcast a talk on some phase of club work between the hours of 1 o clock and 6 every Thursday afternoon When asked why the day Thursady was chosen the state president answered that Thursday afternoon unusually was the middle day off and the house wife could be amused during her afternoon at home

DISTRICT MEETING

The dates of April 10 and 11 were announced by Mrs Flo Jamison Miller of Monticello district president, as the dates for the District Federation meeting to be held in Clinton

Mrs Inez J Bender presided at the dinner in the Canton Tea Garden and the meeting later in the Congregational church and introduced the following members of the Woman's Clubs who gave short talks Mrs M N Bascom, president of the Decatur Woman's Club who welcomed the guests Mrs Eugenie M Bacon former State President Mrs Emma Miller, chairman of the Psalemas division Mrs C H Patterson past president and Mrs Flo Jamison Miller of Monticello District president.

Miss Anna McNabb was in charge of the music for the evening Miss Gladys Phillis sang 'What the Cow Said' 'Baby is Sleeping' (Christ) 'At Night (Rachmaninoff) and 'Take Joy Home' (Bassett)

Covers were laid for fifty members of Psalemas division and the special guests at the 6 o clock dinner served in the Canton Tea Garden

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A Valentine party will be held Saturday afternoon for all girls at Millikin and the faculty in the basement of the Westminster church with hostesses being the members of the Millikin Y W C A

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The Senior supper for the seniors at the Millikin university will be served Friday evening at 5 45 in the Yellow Lantern William C Casey of the faculty will give a talk to the members following the supper

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Mrs George Spence delightfully entertained the members of the Past Worthy Matrons club of the Order of Eastern Star Tuesday afternoon in her home 1143 North Main street Thirteen Past Matrons, and Worthy Matron Mrs Fred Kirk were in attendance The afternoon was spent socially and refreshments were served The dinning room was prettily decorated with candles Mrs Spence was assisted in entertaining by Mrs Fred A Carmack

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The I. G club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs George Shafer, 339 West Grand Avenue, with three tables of Five Hundred at play Prizes were won by Mrs C F Temple, Mrs Glen Quale and Mrs Warren Duncan Mrs Burnett won the consolation prize Mrs Burnett was a guest The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs Harry Boose, 333 West Sawyer street

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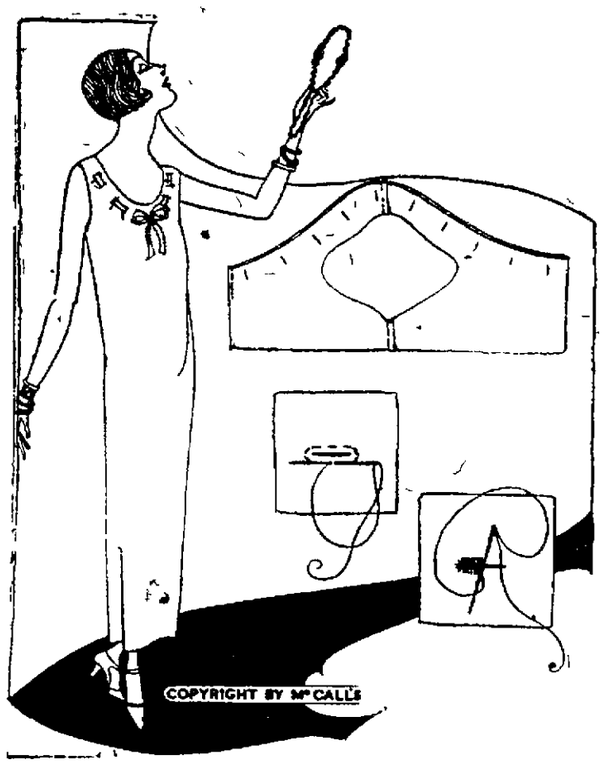
Mr and Mrs Harold Harvey, 454 West Waggoner street entertained the members of the A W G F. club Tuesday evening Five Hundred was played with prizes going to Mrs John Pasold Mrs Harvey E O Muier and L M Shea Refreshments were served The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr and Mrs E G Hoover, 130 North Witt street

HOW TO MAKE EYELETS



The sketch shown is finished around the neckline with eyelets through which the ribbon may be drawn

Stitch up and finish the shoulder underarm and back seams Fold the garment through the center back and front Measure around the neckline and divide this space evenly Mark off the divisions on the wrong side Allow only half a space on either side of the front and back

The eyelets should be marked about three quarter inch from the edge They are made wide enough to carry the desired width of ribbon Each eyelet must be marked and cut exactly at right angles to the neckline as shown in the sketch. After one side has been marked, put in pins to indicate the marks for the other side

Cut only one eyelet at a time Put a line of fine running stitches around the cut (Figure 2)

The stitches around the eyelet are made over the raw edge close together so that the edge is entirely covered This stitch is made by sewing from left to right as shown in Figure 3

BLUES AND GREENS WILL BE POPULAR

Paris Jan 30—All indications are that the soft blues and greens of spring will be translated into the season's clothes These tones will be varied by the paler shades of yellow

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Paris Jan 30—A hat of tricorne inclination rising sharply off the face shown here today has some mitigation of this severe line The mitigation takes the shape of a sheer veil falling from the peak of the hat to the tip of the nose and floating in cape like folds down the back

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London Jan 30—One style which slender women are considering today is that of a thick fur girdle This band of fur very wide is pinned at the hipline on flimsy gowns of chiffon

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London Jan 30—The pearls and crystals with which many frocks are being trimmed do not as formerly scatter all over the gown in a widespread pattern They gather themselves neatly into little oblongs or squares so that the frock is checkered with them

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New York Jan 30—Exquisite shades of pale brown sometimes with a gray tinge but more often with a hint of roses are seen in the new hosiery The fanciful names indicate the shades Woodthrush beechskin Tapel airedale and the ruddy blush

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New York Jan 30—Lapis is in again as a fashionable stone Long necklaces of lapis variegated with crystal and gold are effective as are also a few necklaces in which lapis is combined with cornelian

PERSONALS

Mr and Mrs C A Rude have returned to their home in Mattoon after spending a few days in Decatur with their mother Mrs Alice Hiser, 1342 North Water who is ill Mrs Hiser is getting along as well as can be expected

Miss Jennie Cochran has been added to the clerical staff of the Decatur Association of Commerce

Mrs John Shorb and daughter, Juanita of Peoria are visiting the former's mother Mrs Lida Fields 806 North Church

R H Holcomb of the Linn and Scruggs store has returned from a ten days buying trip in New York

MARRIED

BRADSHAW—GRACE

Miss Helen Bradshaw daughter of Frank Bradshaw 747 East Condit street and Harold Grace son of Mrs Nellie Grace 1641 East Main street were married secretly on Dec 14 and have kept their wedding a secret for the last two months The wedding took place in the home of Judge J H McCoy Mr and Mrs William Deister accompanied the couple

Mr Grace is employed as a station manager of the Texaco Oil company Miss Bradshaw is a graduate of the Decatur high school They will live at 790 East Whitmer street

SISTER Mary'S KITCHEN

By Sister Mary.

(Unless otherwise specified these recipes are planned for four persons)

SPICE SAKES

Don't you love to go into a house that smells of sugar and spice and all things nice on a cold winter's day?

Its one of the most appetizing and tantalizing smells of the kitchen

The first cake makes a delicious dessert without any fruit or ice cream to accompany it.

SPICE CAKE I

Four eggs 1½ cups brown sugar 2 teaspoons baking powder, 2½ cups flour ½ cup butter 1 cup sweet milk 1 teaspoon cinnamon ½ teaspoon salt

Cream butter and beat in sugar Beat one whole egg and the yolks of three until thick Add one-half cup of flour to butter and sugar and mix well. Then beat in the eggs. Mix and sift flour with baking powder, cinnamon and salt and add alternately with milk to first mixture Turn into a buttered and floured dripping pan and bake half an hour in a moderate oven. Let cool slightly and cover with the following frosting

BROWN SUGAR FROSTING

Whites of three eggs, 1½ cups brown sugar, 3 teaspoons cold water

Beat whites of eggs with cold water on a big platter until stiff and dry Roll brown sugar on a molding board until smooth and free from lumps. Beat sugar into eggs and spread mixture on cake. Put into a hot oven to brown.

SPICE CAKE II

One and one-quarter cups brown sugar, 1 cup sour milk 1 egg, ½ teaspoon salt ½ cup butter and lard mixed, 1 teaspoon soda, 2 cups flour, 1 cup seeded raisins, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, ½ teaspoon cloves, ½ teaspoon grated nutmeg

Cream shortening and sugar. Add egg well beaten Mix and sift flour, salt and spices Sift over raisins Add half the sour milk to the first mixture Mix well and add dry ingredients Mix well thoroughly Dissolve soda in remaining sour milk and add to mixture Beat until perfectly smooth Pour into a buttered and floured loaf cake pan and bake from 45 to 60 minutes in a moderate oven

LITTLE SPICE CAKES

Three eggs 1 cup brown sugar, 1 cup molasses, ¾ cup cold water, ¾ cup lard ½ cup butter 1 tablespoon cinnamon 1 teaspoon allspice 1 teaspoon ginger, 1 tablespoon soda boiling water, 3 cups flour, ½ teaspoon salt

Beat eggs until very light with a dover beater Continue beating with the beater and beat in sugar Beat in molasses Remove beater and add as much flour as will stir easily Soften NOT MELT shortening and stir into mixture Add remaining flour, spices and salt Mix well Dissolve soda in a little boiling water and stir into batter Drop from the spoon into little patty pans Bake in a hot oven for 15 minutes

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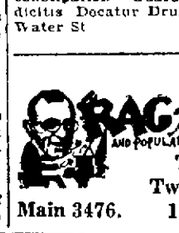

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25c heavy quality light and dark outing, 5 yards	$1.00
35c yard wide plain white outing, 4 yards	$1.00
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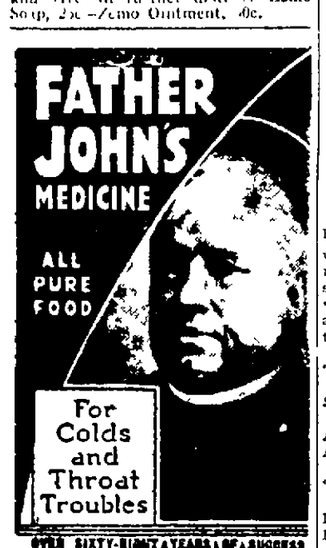
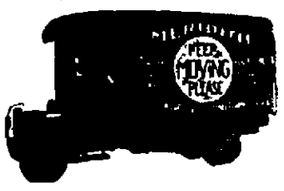




SALESMAN SAM

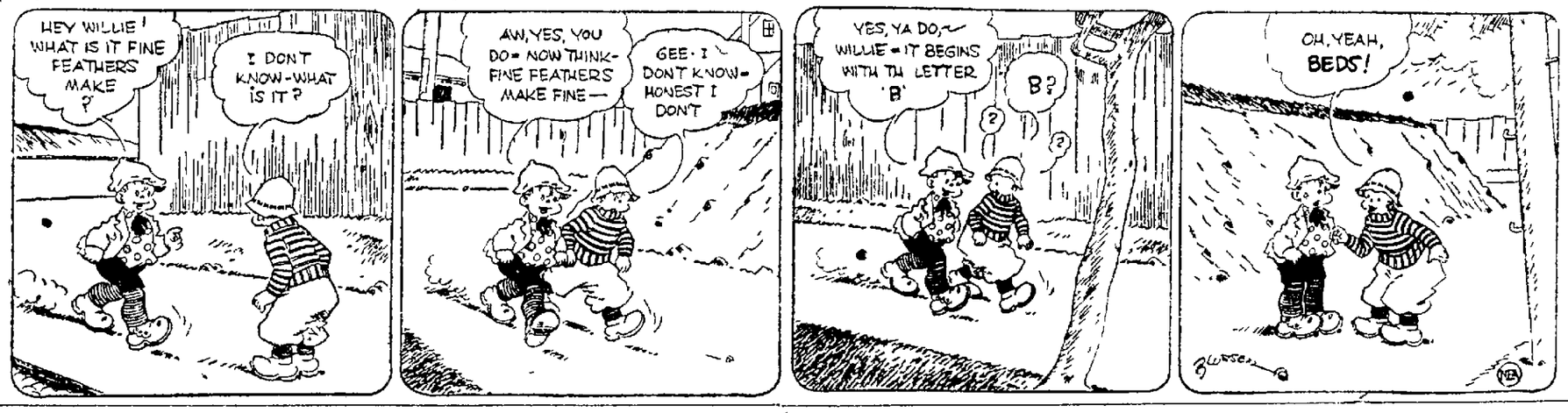
ALMOST—BUT NOT QUITE.

By Swan

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS—

ONE ON FRECKLES.

By Blosser



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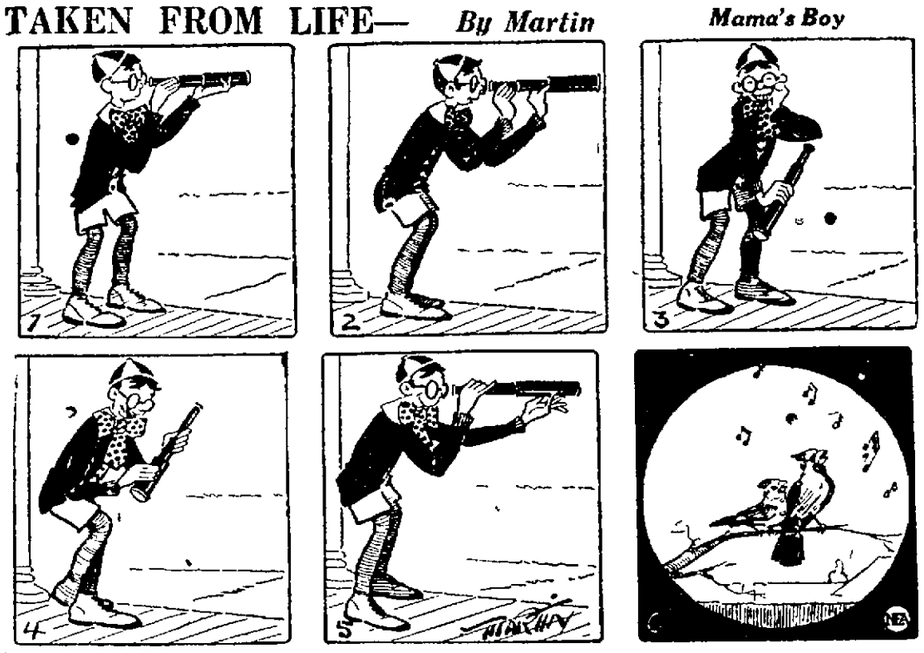
TAKEN FROM LIFE—

By Martin

Mama's Boy



ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton

A Winky Blinky Riddle

My home's a garden where the flowers stay awake

The Riddle Lady said next day in Riddle Land We have had several winter riddles so this is a summer riddle It's about something very small and bright and only seen on a summer night Listen now Nancy and Nick Listen everybody! Here's the riddle

'My home's a garden where the flowers
Stay wide awake for hours and hours
And then at dusk they fold up tight
And say good-night

'But the house I rent— a big red rose
Is not so sleepy I suppose
Because it does not shut up so
And out I go

'I am the watchman if you please
I watch the flowers and garden trees
No one comes in, no one goes out,
If I'm about

'My lantern winks and winks and winks,
And Mr Moon he blinks and blinks
And so between us both, why we
Watch carefully

'For fairies and the tricky elves
Would just come in and help themselves,
To leaves of this and buds of that,
For dress and hat,

And caterpillars My oh me!
They're out for food—to get it free
They'd gobble stems and break off leaves
The greedy thieves!

'I fly around most everywhere
I peep in here I look in there!
What would this lovely garden be
Were it not for the moon and me?

I only go out when it's clear
And never when a storm is near,
When thunder crashes, home I hug
Although I'm called a lightning

"Oh dear" cried Misses Muffet If you mean it's a lightning bug I wish you wouldn't say it in front of my daughter Since that day with the spider, things like that upset her dreadfully"

"But you have just said it yourself, the Riddle Lady exclaimed laughing "Didn't she, Nancy?"

"Why, I declare So I have!" declared Misses Muffet "And she doesn't look a bit nervous She must be cured"

"Of course I am," said Miss Muffet, speaking up for herself "And as for lightning bugs, they are lovely They always remind me of fairies"

"Me, too!" said Nancy "I love them, cute little things, with their winky, blinky lanterns"

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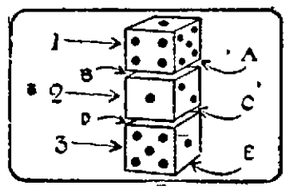
A PUZZLE A DAY



Suppose you saw three dice stacked up as shown in the drawing Could you tell the total number of dots on the hidden sides A B C D and E? A is the bottom of dice 1, B, the top and C the bottom of dice 2 D the top and E the bottom of dice 3 Of course you can find the total by sticking three dice as shown above the puzzle, however is to find the simple rule that will tell you total of those sides no matter how the dice are stacked'

Yesterday's answer:

17

Add 3 to 17 (total 20) divide by 2 (10) add 8 (18) multiply by 2 (36), subtract 2 and you have 34 as the final result—and 34 is just two times 17

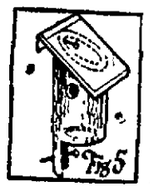
Bird Houses And How To Build Them

III—LOG HOUSES.

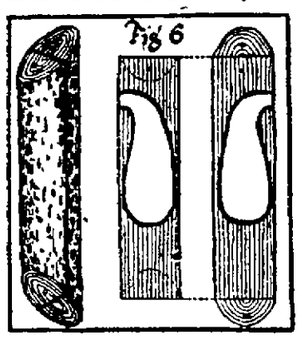
Ordinary wood boxes, if clean can be made into bird houses by merely nailing on a cover and cutting out an entrance hole Such makeshifts though, are rarely weatherproof, and never pleasing to look at

The house shown in Figure 5 is suitable for use in trees, where its foreign origin will be scarcely noticed It is made from a log or large branch hollowed by decay and fitted with top and bottom as illustrated in the figure

The cover is to go on after the log is fastened in place Either the top or bottom should be removable



Another way of making a log house is to split a straight - grained log two feet or more in length through the middle and then to cut out a cavity with a gouge The excavations in the two halves can be made to match exactly by means of a pattern or template having the size and shape desired for the proposed cavity through the plane of cleavage Figure



6 shows the appearance of such a house and how to place the template symmetrically on each half of the stick

The top of this house should be covered with tin or zinc to keep out moisture The halves should be fastened together with screws to allow the house to be taken apart and cleaned

Prepared from information furnished by Ned Dearborn, assistant biologist, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

ART NOW OCCUPIES PALACE OF DUKES

Weimar Thuringia Jan 30—(AP)—The grand ducal palace in this city has been converted into a museum under the direction of Dr Wilhelm Koehler of the Weimar Museum He has transferred part of the art collection of the grand dukes to the ducal castle and has restored them to the position they formerly occupied when the dukes were living in the old castle

Grand Duke Karl August of Sachsen Weimar was the intimate friend and associate of Goethe and all succeeding grand dukes were patrons of art and artists

BERLIN BUILDING ACTIVITY SLUMPS

Berlin, Jan 30—(AP)—Building construction in Berlin during 1923 fell far below the record of 1912 In the last quarter it was only 43 per cent of the amount for the corresponding period of 1922

Which Spine Is Yours Like?

Picture No. 1 represents Normal Spine No. 2 in picture represents abnormal disease producing spine Spinal Bone No 1 in this picture out of position, pressing Spinal Nerves, causes Headaches, Nervousness Spinal Bone No. 2 in picture out of position, causes Lung and Liver troubles Spinal Bone No 3 out of position in Spine, causes various Stomach troubles Spinal Bone No 4 out of position, causes kidney trouble Spinal Bone No. 5 out of position; causes Constipation and various Bowel troubles Spinal Bone No 6 out of alignment in Spine; will cause Rheumatism, Lumbago and Pains in Lower Limbs

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Millikin Puts Up Great Cage Battle

1,500 Fans See Blue and White Hold Wesleyan to 25 to 21 Victory—Wonderful Spirit.

By HOWARD V. MILLARD.

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 30.—Turned loose on the large Memorial gymnasium floor of Illinois Wesleyan here Tuesday night Rollie William's Millikin basketball five threw a big scare into the Methodists during the closing minutes of the contest.

The tribe of Cartwright and Peters carried off the contest by a 25 to 21 score through some great shooting on the part of Captain Tommy Oliver but the old rivals from Decatur had the fans sitting on the edge of their seats in the last part of the contest when the Williams machine ran the count from 22 to 11 to 25 to 21.

1,500 FANS OUT.

The setting was that of a typical Millikin-Wesleyan battle with 1,500 fans packed in the beautiful new gym which has only been the scene of two of the annual contests staged between the two rivals at Bloomington.

Long before either team had appeared on the floor the fans were on their way to the gym and autos were parked for blocks in each direction from the structure.

Millikin was represented by about 50 men while several loyal girls were with them in the little section on the stage near the J. M. U. bench. What the visitors lacked in numbers they had in spirit and several times they were given a big hand after coming through with yells for their quintet.

CLEANEST OF ALL.

Millikin and Wesleyan men who have been watching the two old rivals meet in the cage game for years were of the opinion Tuesday night that the contest was the cleanest ever played between the two schools. There were personal fouls to be sure but the spirit shown by the athletes, some of them who were engaged in fisticuffs on the football field was wonderful.

The students and townspeople showed an entirely different attitude toward the players and rival rooters and it seemed that every one was out there with one idea in mind, to cement the friendship of these two rivals into a closer bond.

THE CONTEST.

From the very beginning the contest was a fine exhibition of basketball with both teams showing improved form in their passing and general all around play. The guarding, especially in the scoring zone was superb and practically every basket made was out from a distance beyond the foul line.

Wesleyan men slipped by on several occasions for short shots but were in such a position the basket was not negotiated. Art Long slipped past the Wesleyan defense two or three times after entering the contest but was not seen by his mates and golden opportunities were lost for set shots.

GUARDS STAND OUT.

Both offensively and defensively the guards on the two quintets stood out like the first box of strawberries in the spring. It was the wonderful shooting of Tommy Oliver that gave Wesleyan a victory, for eight times the black haired leader came down the floor for shots and five times the ball swished through the net. His running mate Delmar Gotschalk while only counting one goal from the field was a bear on defense and with Oliver started most of the plays which carried the ball into Millikin territory.

Johnny Zinser looked the best on the offensive end of the floor for Wesleyan and besides caging two beauties from a distance played a great floor game for his team.

MILLIKIN'S ACES.

Captain Arrington, Milt Forsyth, Rex Millikin and Madden showed to fine advantage for the Blue and White. It was Forsyth's two long baskets, on his first two shots in the opening half that kept the Millikin team in the running. Captain Arrington played like a tiger under the basket and with Forsyth kept the Green and White men shooting from a distance throughout the contest.

Rex Millikin came through with four free tosses in as many attempts while he caged two field goals, one each half. He proved to be a hard man to stop, his dribbling being one of the main points in the Blue and White attack.

It was at center that Millikin showed up for Madden was not only coming through with a strong offensive game but was back on defense once the Methodists got possession of the ball. He forced the Wesleyan men to foul him and bagged three from the free throw line while two were missed.

None of the other men shoved into the contest by Coach Williams produced any scores but they all fought hard during the time they were in.

Only one man when out on personal fouls and that was Hoss Anderson, the freshman center from Fairbury.

SHOW OLD FIGHT.

Millikin entered the contest the underdogs, even in Bloomington for with Bowman and Walley known to be out of the contest the Evergreen City fans did not see much chance for the Blue to put over a victory.

Wesleyan led all the way leaving the floor at half time with the count 15 to 7 and during the early stages of the second period run the score up to 22 to 9 and 22 to 11. It was from that time on that the Blue came back. In this half Millikin sank six free tossers while Wesleyan caged but a pair.

ALL ARE PLEASED.

When the contest was over every one left the big gym pleased. Wesleyan that its team had put over another victory on its greatest rival, Millikin that its team had made such a great fight in spite of the odds and all that the contest demonstrated that with a little forethought and missionary work the two teams can meet with the best of feeling before, during and after an athletic contest.

The Summary.

Wesleyan—	FG.	FT.	FTM.	P.	TP.
Zinser, forward	2	0	0	1	4
Dunham, forward	0	2	0	1	2
Golden, forward	1	1	0	0	3
Anderson, center	1	0	1	4	2
Oliver (C) guard	5	6	2	1	16
Gotschalk, guard	1	2	1	3	4
Totals	10	5	4	11	25
Millikin—	FG.	FT.	FTM.	P.	TP.
Lindley, forward	0	0	0	1	0
Millikin, forward	2	4	0	2	8
Long, forward	0	0	0	1	0
Douglas, forward	0	0	2	1	0
Madden, center	2	3	2	3	7
Anderson, center	0	0	0	1	0
Arrington (C) guard	1	0	0	0	2
Forsyth, guard	2	0	1	0	4
Totals	7	7	5	9	21

Referee—Diddley Molony (Notre Dame).
Umpire—Herb Reynolds (American College).

FOUR CONTESTS FOR D. H. S. MEN

First Team Meets Alton and Bement This Week.

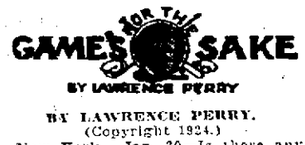
Chalk up another busy week-end for the basketball men at Decatur high. Four games are to be played this week-end by representatives of the Red and White school.

Friday evening Johnny Mac Whirter, former D. H. S. and Millikin star brings his Alton five to Decatur for a return engagement. The Alton boys won a close game from the locals several weeks ago and Johnny is more than anxious to slip over a win in his home town.

While the first team is engaging with Alton the Reserves and the Sophomore quintet under the direction of Lawrence Rotz will be meeting the Bethany High first and second teams at Bethany.

BUILDS UP SQUAD.

Saturday evening the first team journeys over to Bement to tangle with Coach Norsworthy's Piatt County tossers. Coach Crooks is busy building up his first squad to presemester strength. Perry and McGowan are lost via the ninth semester rule while Mitchell and Lowery are on the ineligible list. Charles Pope and Ray Hasty have been moved up to the first squad and this afternoon Coach Crooks is to look over some new comers from the Junior High fives. One of the most promising is Eulis Reeves of Central.



BY LAWRENCE PERRY.
(Copyright 1924.)

New York, Jan. 30—Is there any serious obstacle to changing the world's "unofficial golf championship" decided last week at Los Angeles and San Francisco, to an official championship?

It would give us a great international event at a time when golf is frozen up in most sections of the golfing world and at the same time would give the Pacific coast a sort of recognition that is richly deserved.

There would probably be no great difficulty in inducing the winner of the British open—provided he be an Englishman—to visit this amiable climate, particularly as the question of expense should not prove difficult to solve in view of the immense gallery such an attraction would draw. And, of course, were an American to win the British open, there would be no trouble at all in bringing him and the American open winner together.

California is in a position to put this thing through, and it would be a great thing for golf were this to be done. As for last week's match between Sarazen and Havers winner of the British Open in 1923. Gene had no official standing since Bobby Jones and not he won the American open at Innwood last year. Nonetheless he is generally recognized just now as the leading American professional golfer, a position considerably strengthened by his splendid victory over Arthur Havers.

M'KENDREE DEFEATS LINCOLN TOSSERS

Lincoln, Jan. 29—McKendree college handed Lincoln collegians the short end of a 22-15 basketball game Tuesday night. Play was rough in places and rather slow. The visitors led, 11-5, at the half and kept the local lads at a distance throughout.

McKendree—	FG.	FT.	TP.
Newcomb, forward	3	2	8
Pearce, forward	3	0	6
Burst, center	2	1	5
Willis, guard	0	1	1
Carter, guard	1	0	2
Total	9	4	22
Lincoln—	FG.	FT.	TP.
Houghton, forward	3	0	6
Hidinger, forward	0	0	0
Watt, center	2	0	4
Gallagher, guard	0	0	0
Layman, guard	1	0	2
Bledsoe, forward	0	1	1
Fairbanks, forward	1	0	2
Total	7	1	15

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WESTERN FIVES STRONGER THAN EASTERN FOES

Chicago.—On the basis of early-season scores, it would appear that the Western Conference universities have it all over their big eastern opponents in basketball.

The University of Pennsylvania and Ohio State met on a neutral floor in Cleveland, and the Quakers, who for years have held a place in the sun in eastern cage circles, took an awful drubbing. The ambitious Ohio Staters then took on Yale and punished the wearers of the Blue soundly.

Then along came Purdue and walloped Ohio State; Illinois did likewise. After which Purdue was beaten by Iowa, and Illinois already defeated by Minnesota, took a last minute 24-23 beating at the hands of Michigan.

The only conclusion is that some sort of booby prize goes to Yale and Penn.

SAYS LUIS IS TO STAY HERE

Firpo to Leave Argentine for Good, Knowing Ones Say.

BY FAIR PLAY.
(Copyright 1924.)

New York, Jan. 30—A Jersey sporting man who has always been closely in touch with Luis Firpo is authority for the statement that when Firpo leaves the Argentine next month it will be for good In the U. S. A. he sees a land not only of sporting opportunity but of business opportunities as well, and moreover he is thoroughly sold on the states.

Firpo has made no sort of a hit in Buenos Aires since his return. He came under the black cloud of flawed patriotism, an aspect due to his taking initial steps to change his citizenship from the Argentine to the United States. Luis never has been able to explain that away, or to laugh it off either. And the Jersey informant says Luis' automobile business has not filled him with the idea that he can clean up a million in the South American marts of trade.

SEEMS LIKE IT.

If all this is true, and Firpo is really getting ready to pull up South American stakes, he could not in his recent actions have given a more life-like imitation of a man who is preparing to do just this thing. His latest stunt has been to snap his fingers at the South American boxing federation, which has been trying to force him to meet the Chilean heavyweight, Romero.

Luis had just as lief meet him, only as he puts it, he hasn't time to bother with small fry when he can mingle with the elect of the boxing fraternity in the United States. This surely is no attitude to take if Firpo intends to continue as a resident of South America.

CAN BE POPULAR.

Firpo could make himself extremely popular in this country if he were to live here and of course to maintain his boxing prestige. He is a big lovable sort of man—is all that Carpentier looked to be and was not.

There is a demand for Jack Britton in the Metropolitan section by those fans who appreciate skill and are not greatly disappointed if a bout does not end with one of the boxers in a horizontal position. Britton is probably the most scientific boxer in this country and veteran though he be he has a host of personal friends, a larger host of admirers and his appearance here would be popular.

SPORT BRIEFS.

Toledo—Mrs. Baker of Detroit scored 618 pins in 30 frames for a new feminine world's record in the women's central states bowling.

New York—Bobby Wolgast, Philadelphia bantam weight, and Terry Martin, Province R. I. fought five rounds to a draw.

Montreal—The Montreal athletic commission adopted a resolution declaring it would license Jack Johnson, former heavy weight champion, now living in Montreal, if he will pass an examination by the commission's physicians.

New York—The Firpo-Wills fight next July will be held in a sunken concrete stadium to be built close to New York, it was started by members of the promotion syndicate which Firpo has joined.

Atlanta—Young Stribling, Macon, Ga. light heavy weight outpointed Bill Shade of New York.

Buenos Aires—Luis Firpo has received a cablegram from Tex Rickard advising him not to sign a contract with any other promoter until he had had further negotiations with Rickard, Firpo asserted that in view of his acceptance of the offer for a fight with Harry Wills there was nothing he could say in reply to Rickard unless the Wills negotiations should fall through.

Graymallen Argentine—The municipal council voted on the name of a new street, calling it Luis Firpo, against choosing Vicente Lopez, author of the Argentine national anthem.

Minneapolis—Dr. William Foster of Minneapolis has been appointed coach of the University of Minnesota gymnastic team it was reported.

Milwaukee—Joe Jackson, former White Sox player, resumed the stand in his trial against Charles Comiskey owner of the Chicago American league team for back pay. The suit is the outgrowth of the 1919 world's series baseball "scandal". Jackson denied he played dishonestly or even disinterestedly in the 1919 series.

Chicago—If Bobby McLean, Chicago professional skater defeats Everett McGowan in a match here Sunday he will try for world's records in four events at Saranac Lake N. Y. he announced.

Bellair Heights, Fla.—Glenna Collett of Providence R. I., former national champion, equalled the course record with a 75 and defeated Mrs. Caleb Fox of Huntington Valley five and three at Golf.

BRITISH STAR WINS BATTLE

HARRY MASON.

Showing a neat defense and flashes of fine offensive ability, Harry Mason, champion lightweight of England, made an impressive start against Harry ("Kid") Brown of New York in a recent battle, winning on points. Brown is considered a tough trial horse, if not a top-notcher, and Mason did well against him.

CHARLIE MILLER IN APPALACHIAN

Will Manage 1924 Kingston, Tenn., Club.

According to word received from Huston Texas today Charlie Miller, 1923 boss of the Decatur Commies, has signed to manage the Kingston club of the Appalachian League for the coming season.

MILLER

The organization is a class D league, two below that of the Three Eye, but the Appalachian has been going on for years and according to the Huston correspondent Miller was given a very attractive contract which will be welcome news to the fans of Decatur.

Last year the circuit operated as a six club league with all of the towns being in Tennessee as follows, Morristown, Knoxville, Johnson City, Bristol, Greeneville and Kingsport.

Kingston has either taken the franchise of one of the above towns or the circuit has been raised to an eight club organization.

Elmer Gray last season with the Commies was in this league in 1922, while Joe Cooper, the local boy, pitched for Knoxville in the same year.

Officials of the Decatur Fans Association and fans in the city will watch Miller's work with much interest during the coming campaign.

BOWLING

K. OF C. LEAGUE.

TANKS.

Crinigan	172	149	145	465	155
Aman	147	151	122	373	124
Pahay	130	125	156	429	143
Cahill	118	194	119	431	141
Rider	146	133	145	424	141
Total	*653	753	700	2117	

HOOSIERS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Goodwin	133	136	165	434	135
Heger	116	121	96	333	111
Ryan	129	150	123	402	140
Hunt	152	119	111	382	127
Davey	168	153	125	446	149
Handicap	5	5	5		
Total	*652	693	695	1965	

High individual score—Cahill 194; high individual average, Jim Crinigan, 156.
*Yanks won the game.

RAMBLERS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Jim Barry	235	120	121	476	159
Moriarity	166	128	162	456	152
McCarthy	165	150	123	438	146
Downing	85	166	122	373	108
Doherty	234	188	227	649	218
Total	885	692	755	2332	

VEGETARIANS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
R. Stengle	130	128	155	413	138
Tighe	139	132	125	396	132
E. Rodgers	141	155	126	422	141
Heinz	154	124	129	407	136
Moore	125	125	125	375	125
Handicap	69	69	69		
Total	758	733	729	2013	

High individual score—Jim Barry, 235; high individual average, Short Doherty, 218.

SWEETS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Taylor	138	155	153	441	147
Whiteside	124	124	156	404	135
Connors	110	156	136	402	134
Hunt (B)	125	125	125	375	125
Foran	153	147	148	448	149
Handicap	8	8	8		
Total	658	715	726	2070	

DARDS

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
McMahan	147	152	211	490	163
Walker	142	156	149	447	149
Schep, (B)	125	125	125	375	125
Powers	131	141	127	419	140
Boland	129	160	178	466	155
Total	693	714	790	2197	

High individual score—M. McMahan, 211; high individual average, M. McMahan, 163.

WONDERS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
L. Stengle	140	153	139	434	145
Moore	123	144	157	430	143
Hines	157	128	116	401	134
Lorenz	158	177	154	489	163
Loftus	181	128	131	440	147
Handicap	1	1	1		
Total	760	733	698	2194	

BEARCATS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Sweeney	126	157	167	450	150
Condon	130	129	127	386	129
Witt	123	145	159	427	142
Treiweiler	98	118	148	364	121
Jack Crinigan	170	176	175	521	174
Total	647	725	776	2148	

High individual score—E. J. Loftus, 181; high individual average, Jack Crinigan, 174.

FRANK FRISCH YOUNG CAPTAIN

New York's Second Baseman Quick Thinker and Smart.

BY JOHN B. FOSTER.
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New York, Jan. 30—Frank Frisch, who will captain the Giants in 1924, the youngest ballplayer who has held that position under John J. McGraw.

He was almost the only choice. Groh is liable to injury and would hardly do; Kelly probably was not considered and Southworth, while he had been captain of the Boston club, was an outfielder, which eliminated him under the McGraw theory of captaining.

QUICK THINKER.

Frisch is not likely to be affected by the responsibility attached to the post. The Giant second baseman is a quick thinker and takes excellent care of himself. His circumspection in the latter respect is probably due to the fact that he expects one day to be a business man and is not in baseball for all time.

Frisch does not believe the rumor coming up from the Ohio river than Cincinnati is going to win the 1924 pennant. He holds this opinion because he happens to be captain of the Giants, but for reasons which he has thought out for himself.

"ARE TOO SLOW."

He says they are too slow for the Giants and that while they may show enough in the race to bring them up near the top, they lack the ability to pass either the Giants or Pittsburgh. Frisch thinks the Chicago Cubs may make more trouble for the Giants than the Reds.

In close games, Frisch believes that Cincinnati, despite its strong pitching staff, has not put together all of the combination to win the pennant. Pitchers, he argues, may hold the score low, but it takes speed to put across the one run needed to win the 1-0, 2-1 and 3-2 games. Those are the games he figures Cincinnati will lose because they are too slow on the bases.

IS COLLEGE MAN.

Frisch is one of the few college men who have captained a National League team. Fred Tenney of Boston was another. Frisch probably will be the only one in 1924. Another fact about Frisch is that he is a native son of the city he represents on the ball field, and one of a very few home town boys who have captained big league teams.

Of the players on the team, for 1924, few precede Frisch in service, for the Giants have been fairly weeded out since they began winning pennants. Young and Kelly are of longer service. Young is almost the veteran.

WILL BE WATCHED.

Frisch will be known all over the circuit as the "Kid Captain" and the older players will be setting their steel traps to catch him. When he is out of the game if by any ill luck he should happen to be injured, the captaincy may fall to Southworth because of his experience.

Collectively, Frisch is of the opinion that the other National League clubs have not strengthened sufficiently to beat the Giants out of the next championship and he figures they have as good a chance to win their fourth straight as have the New York Yankees.

EXHIBITION GAME WON BY ST. JAMES

The Macon Independents were unable to make the trip to Decatur Tuesday evening to play the St. James quintet and the locals staged a contest with the Bulldogs, winning 46 to 36.

The Summary.

St. James—	FG.	FT.	TP.
Bauer, forward	3	0	6
Scherer, forward	3	0	6
Porter, forward	3	1	7
Lahme, center	5	2	12
Heisler, guard	4	0	8
Kosciosly, guard	2	3	7
Totals	20	6	46
Bulldogs—	FG.	FT.	TP.
Richardson, forward	5	3	13
Lowery, forward	8	0	16
Stearns, center	0	0	0
Perry, guard	0	1	1
Munch, guard	0	0	0
Hughes, guard	0	3	3
Totals	13	9	36

Referee—Rotz (Millikin).

BAIT FOR BUGS

By H. V. Millard

There is going to be an important conference out at 254 Dennis today. The Millikin-Wesleyan battle had no more than started Tuesday evening at Bloomington until the Mrs. commenced to root for the blue and white.

How many games have you ever seen where two guards played the entire 40 minutes and were not charged with a personal foul. That is what Neil Arrington and Mil Forsyth did Tuesday night. Never recall a similar instance.

Wayne Bowman didn't have a chance to shoot baskets at Bloomington, but he sure got plenty of response out of the Millikin rooters when it came to leading yells.

Before the contest the Wesleyan athletic board entertained Prof. L. M. Cole and Prof. Carl Head of the Millikin board to a steak dinner at the Lafayette Inn. The Wesleyan board members were President Davidson, Prof. Wilbur Ferguson, Frank M. Rice, Prof. Fred Muhl and Adali Rust, former Methodist guard on the championship teams of 12 and 14, and now on the Law School faculty.

Those who thought the fellows who were taking part in the little affair on Millikin Field during the grid game could not conduct themselves properly in a basketball game had to change their opinion. There wasn't a single thing that even came close to be unsportsman like conduct, either from the players or fans.

Much of success of the way the game went off can be traced to the officiating. Dudley Molony, one of the leading officials in the Big Ten and Herb Reynolds, the daddy of them all, turned in a perfect game, if such a thing is possible in basketball.

Reynolds who officiated in every tournament but one staged in the conference, was busy between halves shaking hands with many of the boys who use to swear he had eyes in the back of his head.

Before the contest started it looked like Cartwright and Williams were long lost friends. The Methodist coach walked all the way across the floor with his arm around the Blue and White coach.

After watching Millikin at Bradley and at Wesleyan am convinced that the great trouble with the Blue and White five on the local floor is the fact it is too narrow for the short pass game.

Buster Woodworth and Ranny Young attracted quite a bit of attention in the Evergreen City before and after the contest. The Decatur boys are both very popular in Bloomington, Buster purchased a new ball glove while there and expects to field 1,000 in the coming campaign.

Doubt very much if there was a happier man in the whole party coming back to Decatur than Prof. Cole. He has watched the old rivals meet for many years and always thought that a better understanding could be had among all those interested in the two schools.

If all future athletic contests can and with a possibility of the big tackle enrolling in another school. Hope it is only a rumor for Joe is one of the best linemen to ever play in the I. I. A. C.

Young Mr. Golden, who was a star with Bellflower High for three or four years, broke into the Wesleyan lineup long enough to cage a long field goal and a free toss. When the pace got hot again Johnny Zinser replaced him.

The Mason County tournament opened at Mason City last night with coach Myers, Mason City boys defeating Manito 23 to 3 and Kilbourne handing Forest City a 15 to 8 defeat.

After due consideration have decided to postpone that conference for a few days.

August Sepp has signed to meet Ralph Parcaut at Oskaloosa, Iowa, Feb. 12 on a winner take all basis. Parcaut is one of the greatest middleweights in the game and the local mat man will probably go to Chicago to train with some good boys after his match here Monday night with Gus Anderson of Rockford.

Walter Bodkin was one of the busiest men in town this morning opening letters that contained requests for seats to the Hoppe-Schaefer matches which are to be played here Saturday afternoon and evening at the St. Nicholas parlors.

Charlie Goelzer, president of the Bloomington Three Eye club, is not so enthused over Mr. Smith's schedule for the coming season. Charlie discovered that the Bloomers have to make eight trips to Indiana, never playing Evansville and Terre Haute on the same trip.

Stribling Wins.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 30.—W. L. "Young" Stribling, Macon, Ga., light heavyweight, Tuesday night outpointed Billy Shade of New York, in a 10-round bout here. During the early part of the fight, Stribling cut Shade's mouth and repeatedly kept the blood flowing during the 10 rounds.

WHAT'S RIGHT IN THIS OLD SPORT OF GOLF, ANYWAY

Philadelphia, Pa., — Golf is a game of changing thoughts and shifting theories.

Once you were supposed to put all the power into a shot with your left hand. Today, it is the right which provides the main force.

They used to tell you the club head preceded the hands by a matter of inches in driving from the tee. Slow motion pictures show that the hands actually precede the club head.

In days gone by the run-up approach was considered the only practical way to get close to the pin. Then came the bunkers and multitudinous traps. Now if you can't play a high pitch approach to the green you are all out of luck.

What next?

be staged like last night's then here is one who is glad the little battle of fists took place on Millikin Field. You know they never built asbestos curtains until after a number of people were burned in a theater fire.

The next thing in line is for Millikin and Wesleyan to get together in a football game next Fall. Wesleyan has an open date and so does Millikin. The Blue can take their turn at Bloomington next season and then have a fine homecoming attraction in 1925 for J. M. U. Field.

Cecil Abrams and his bid brother, Welby, organized a miniature glee club on the I. T. S. car returning to Decatur. Jack Rubottom was one of th echief aids and Bunny Anderson a chief handicap.

Rollie Williams and Rex Millikin were too busy to sing.

You can tell the Olympic games have started for right off the bat the boys across the pond are trying to figure a way to hand the good old U. S. A. a package. An attempt is being made to add 25 points bonus to the skating teams having men compete in all four races. Yes, they are good sports over there. Nit.

Tom Oliver played a remarkable game of basketball for the Methodists and caged five field goals in eight attempts. He stood out above every player on the floor by his brilliant work.

Rex Millikin received the two hardest jolts in the game and in both instances he slid about 20 feet on the floor. The last time was after Ross Anderson had upset him from behind while trying to catch up with Rex as he dribbled toward the basket.

Basketball is an odd game. Lombard defeats Marquette 34 to 19 and 34 to 16. Marquette plays Franklin and Depauw two of the best in Indiana to close scores, in over time contests.

As was the case last year Indianapolis captured the title in the Illinois-Indiana three cushion billiard league. Following is the final standing.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Indianapolis	25	7	.781
Lawrenceville	18	14	.563
Decatur	13	19	.406
Champaign	13	19	.406
Terre Haute	11	21	.344

Glenn French, Haussler, former Wesleyan captain and star was on the job at Bloomington and covered the game for Fred Young in the Daily Pantagraph. Frenchy is listed among the coaches this year, being at Pontiac.

Dame Rumor has Joe Carp not registering at Millikin this semester.

SHOLLENBERGER TO REMAIN AT MOLINE

Moline, Ill. Jan. 30—James Shollenberger, who managed the Moline Three-Eye league club the latter part of last season has been re-engaged to lead the Plowboys in the Mississippi Valley League, it was announced Tuesday. Shollenberger will be first string catcher as well as pilot. Three players were signed by Rock Island in the same league today. They are John R. Gall, outfielder; Steve Molnar, third basemen, and Ray Rundolph, pitcher.

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Japanese Shipments Halt Manufacturers' Worries

Raw Silk and Goods Again Start Into America From Nipon; Buyers Resisted Boosting Prices.

BY J. C. DOYLE
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New York, Jan. 30.—Recent shipments of raw silk and silk goods from Japan have served to relieve anxiety of manufacturers in this country which was aroused to some small extent by the latest earthquake, to improve the statistical position of the commodity and, in a measure, to stabilize prices. This has been reflected in the recent declines in prices for raw silk.

Buyers of manufactured goods have shown a sturdy resistance to any upward trend in finished silks and the leveling out of the raw staple prices has tended to encourage manufacturers to lay in supplies with more freedom. The stocks of raw silk in this country are not excessive but they are sufficient for immediate demand. Moreover, the speed with which shipments from the Orient have been handled recently indicates that no serious shortage need be feared.

WAREHOUSE SUPPLIES

There were approximately 41,000 bales in warehouses here Jan. 1, while almost an equal amount was gathered at Yokohama and Kobe. That is sufficient for about three months consumption as mills are operating at present. The speed in handling shipments has been increased however until less than fourteen days is consumed between Yokohama and New York.

The present record is 13 days 3 hours and 8 minutes. The silk cargoes frequently range in value up to $10,000,000 and the loss in interest alone for each day's delay keeps the shippers on edge to save every minute. So speedily are the silk bales unloaded at Pacific coast ports and transported by the transcontinental railroads that frequently in the past the silk has arrived in New York before the documents efering to it reached the consignee. To obviate this aeroplanes now meet the incoming silk boats at Victoria and carry these documents to Seattle where they are placed on connecting fast mail trains so as to bring them into New York before the silk arrives here.

COME FROM KOBE

Imports of Japanese porcelains, beads, table-wear and manufactured silk goods now are coming from Kobe rather than Yokohama as the Pacific coast importing houses have made arrangements to have their requirements filled from that point. Japanese exporters have found means to replace the goods ordered and destroyed in the September earthquake at Yokohama.

The cargo carried by the President Grant of the Admiral Oriental Line which arrived in Seattle last week brought this trade back to near normal and it is expected that it will show complete recovery with two months.

PRICE LEVEL EVEN

Silk manufacturers here claim that the prices of silk goods have risen less rapidly since 1913 than other classes of textiles. Taking 100 as the 1913 base prices today are on a level of 210 percent a drop of sixty points from the peak prices of 1920. Business in finished silks is showing a steady increase as compared with the later months of 1923 and there is an unmistakable trend toward mill expansion.

Hereafter "artificial silk" will disappear as a trade term. The trade groups engaged in making or handling this commodity have decided that this product shall be known as "glos." This action was taken in the belief that the so-called artificial silk has now been developed into an entirely separate and distinct textile and as such deserves a name which will set it apart as something more than an imitation of another material.

The effect of the change in styles in women's hosiery to the thin silk constructions has been felt at the New England cotton mills. It was this it is said which induced the management of the Ipswich Mills to pass their dividend recently and take steps to revise their machinery so as to produce the silk grades.

BANK STATEMENT

OFFICIAL PUBLICATION

Statement of resources and liabilities of the Citizens National Bank of Decatur, Illinois, at the close of business on the 31st day of December 1923 as shown by the annual report made by the said bank as a trust company to the Auditor of Public Accounts of the State of Illinois pursuant to law and filed in the office of the said Auditor of Public Accounts on the 15th day of January 1924.

RESOURCES

1 Loans on real estate	$ 19 500 00
2 Loans on collateral security	31 [illegible]
3 Other loans	1 133 [illegible]
4 Overdrafts	1 904 91
5 U. S. Government bonds	310 092 13
6 Other bonds and stocks	324 017 10
7 Banking house furniture and fixtures	225 134 25
8 Other real estate	142 979 63
9 Due from banks cash and other cash resources	748 625 29
10 Other resources	10 000 00
Total resources	$3 307 189 36

LIABILITIES

1 Capital stock	$ 200 000 00
2 Surplus	100 000 00
3 Undivided profits (net)	90 254 69
4 Time deposits	816 998 64
5 Demand deposits	1 721 980 31
6 Due to banks	91 61 41
7 Dividends unpaid	12 [illegible] 00
8 Bills payable	150 000 00
11 Letters of credit	150 [illegible]
13 Other liabilities	230 000 00
Total liabilities	$3 307 189 36

The value of such [illegible] deposited with Auditor of Public Accounts, Springfield, Illinois, as required by law to secure trust deposits $[illegible]

State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. John Allen, one of the managing officers and A. M. Kinney and W. R. McGaughey, two of the directors of the Citizens National Bank of Decatur, a corporation of the State of Illinois, being severally duly sworn, each upon his oath states that he makes this affidavit for the purpose of complying with the requirements of Sections 9 and 10 of an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois entitled "An Act to Provide for and Regulate the Administration of Trusts by Trust Companies."

That the foregoing statement of the said Citizens National Bank on December 31st, 1923, is true and correct in all respects to the best of his knowledge and belief and that he has examined the assets and books of the said company for the purpose of making said statement.

JOHN ALLEN
A. M. KINNEY
W. R. MCGAUGHEY

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of January, 1924.

HENRY A. WOOD
(Seal) Notary Public

ILLINOIS TRACTION

Trains Leave Decatur

Effective Jan. 13, 1924.

EAST-BOUND

M—LOCAL*	4:55 a. m.
LOCAL	6:25 a. m.
LOCAL	8.40 a. m.
S—LIMITED	10 20 a. m.
LOCAL	12 35 p. m.
S—LIMITED	2 20 a. m.
LOCAL	4:55 p. m.
LIMITED	7:15 p. m.
X—LOCAL	10:15 p. m.

WEST-BOUND

LOCAL	6:00 a. m.
LOCAL	7:05 a. m.
LIMITED	8.15 a. m.
LOCAL	11:00 a. m.
F—LIMITED	12.01 p. m.
LIMITED	2 20 p. m.
F—LIMITED	3:45 p. m.
LOCAL	4:30 p. m.
LOCAL	7:10 p. m.
LIMITED	8.30 p. m.

NORTH-BOUND

LOCAL	4 45 a. m.
LOCAL	7:00 a. m.
LIMITED	9 15 a. m.
LOCAL	11:10 a. m.
LIMITED	1:00 p. m.
LOCAL	2:45 p. m.
LOCAL	5:10 p. m.
LOCAL	7:10 p. m.
B—LOCAL	10:00 p. m.

NOTE:—*Exc. Sunday; M—Monticello only; X Champaign only; B—Bloomington only. S—stops only at Bement, Monticello, Champaign, Urbana and Danville; F—No stops until Springfield.

COMMODITY NEWS.

LIVESTOCK

Urbana, Ill., Jan. 30—The animal husbandry department of the University of Illinois is advising farmers against expanding the number of sheep they propose growing this year urging improvement of methods and quality instead.

SHOES

Seattle, Jan. 30—Retail trade in footwear for this month shows an increase of ten per cent so far as compared with Jan. 1923. Dealers report an unusually strong demand for men's low cut shoes. The volume of trade in shoe findings and harness manufacturing and jobbing is better than a year ago.

AUTOMOBILES

Philadelphia, Jan. 30—Dealers have enjoyed unusual success in the last ten days in closing sales with prospects discovered at the recent auto show, it was stated here today. The demand has been chiefly for a moderate priced closed car.

Denver, Jan. 30—A branch of the General Motors Acceptance Corporation which finances both wholesale and retail purchases of cars made by General Motors has been opened here. It will employ about twenty persons.

CANDY

San Francisco, Jan. 30—There has been a decided quickening of demand for American candies from the Orient particularly China and about $5,000,000 worth was shipped by western dealers in the last twelve months.

TEXTILES

New Bedford, Mass., Jan. 30—New Bedford manufacturers of fine goods are undecided whether to close down as a result of the slackening of demand or to carry on in the hope of betterment. In Fall River the situation is similar.

OIL

Houston, Jan. 30—The oil districts of Texas and Oklahoma are renewing activity and new locations are being made and drilling crews assembled. This is due to the stimulation of increasing prices for crude.

COTTON

St. Louis, Jan. 30—It is estimated the cotton districts of Southeastern Missouri have gained 10,000 in population in the last year and cold weather freezing insect pests has given new impetus to plans for 1924 production. Ten gins are under construction and eleve more are planed.

IRON AND STEEL

Cleveland, Jan. 30—Iron ore at furnaces and on docks the first of this year totaled 38,625,071 tons as compared with 39,866,084 tons on Jan. 1, 1923.

DRY GOODS

Chicago, Jan. 30—There has never been a more confident feeling among local retail dry goods merchants than at present. The cold weather has resulted in clearing their shelves and they have started to fill spring needs.

Fred W. Schlie Co.
222 NORTH MAIN ST.
Hardware—Plumbing

HAMMAN BROS
MOVING & STORAGE
PHONE MAIN 345 OR 320
601 E. WILLIAM ST.

THE OLD HOME TOWN By Stanley

RADIO BROADCASTING NEWS

Radio Programs.

Decatur Time.

CONCERTS

7 p. m.—KYW (536) Chicago. Dinner concert from Congress hotel, Joska De Barbary's orchestra.
8 30—WMAQ (448) Chicago. WMAQ orchestra.
8 58 p. m.—KYW (536) Chicago. Musical program.
10 p. m.—WDAP (300) Chicago. Chicago Conservatory of Music program arranged by Gertrude Grossup Perkins. Joe Chapman's orchestra.
10 p. m.-2 a. m.—KYW (536) Chicago. Midnight revue; program to be announced.
10 p. m.—WJAZ (447) Chicago. Musical program.
5-8 30—WEAF (492), New York. Musical program.
5—WSB (429) Atlanta. Twilight concert; old time program.
8 15—WCX (517) Detroit. Music.
8 30—WDAR (395) Philadelphia. Artist recital; talk; dancette orchestra.
8 45—WOO (509) Philadelphia. Grand organ and trumpets.
6-8—KHJ (395) Los Angeles. Program by Finland Trio.
7-8—KPO (469), Los Angeles. Dance music.
7—WCX (517) Detroit. Dinner concert.
7—KSD (546) St. Louis. Concert.
7—WOC (484) Davenport. Lecture farm talk; Radio for the Layman.
7—FWX (300) Havana. Concert.
7 15—WOR (405) Newark. Orchestral.
7 30—WTAS (286) Elgin. Concert.
7 30 8 30—WBAP (476) Fort Worth. Concert.
7 30—KDKA (326), E. Pittsburgh. Dinner concert.
8 9—KFI (469) Los Angeles. Orchestral.
8—WLW (309) Cincinnati. Entertainment. National Lumber Exporters.
8—WCX (517) Detroit. Musical program.
8—WOC (484), Davenport. Musical program.
8-10—KHJ (395) Los Angeles. Orchestral.
8 30—WOO (509), Philadelphia. Dinner.
8 30-1—WCAP (469), Washington. Joint program with station WEAF. New York Philharmonic concert.
8 30-12 30—WWAR (227), Joliet. Orchestra.
8 30—WGI (360), Medford Hillside. Evening program.
8 50—WDAR (395), Philadelphia. Special features; orchestra; talk.
7 30-8—WHAS (400), Louisville. Concert.
9—WTAM (390) Cleveland. Orchestra.
9 30-11 10—WOO (509), Philadelphia. Musical.
9 30-10 45—WBAP (476), Fort Worth. Concert.
9 30—WWJ (517) Detroit. Orchestral.
10—WOC (484), Davenport. Musical program.
10 45—WSB (429), Atlanta. Radiola entertainment.
11—KSD (546), St. Louis. Dance music.
11 10—WDAR (395), Philadelphia. Dance orchestra.
11 6 m.—WEAF (492) New York City. Talks. Noon Chapel services.
1 p. m.—WJZ (455), New York. Results Millrose athletic meet.
2—WLAG (417), Minneapolis. Women's club.
2 40—WLAG (417), Minneapolis. Daylight concert; story reading.
4 45-5 30—KFI (469), Los Angeles. Nick Harris detective stories.
6-7—WDAF (411), Kansas City. School of the air.
6-7—KPO (469) Los Angeles. Talk.
7 30—WLAG (417), Minneapolis. Farm lectures.
7 30—WGY (380) Schenectady. Adventure story.
8 1 30—WEAF (492) New York City. Religious service; talk; music; recital.
8 30—KDKA (326) E. Pittsburgh. Address; Children's period; travel talks; concert.
9 15—WLAG (417), Minneapolis. Business message; studio concert.

TALKS

6 50—KYW (536) Chicago. Bedtime stories.
7—WMAQ (448) Chicago. Miss Georgene Faulkner stories for children.
7 30—Weekly lecture Northwestern university.
9 15—KYW (536) Chicago. Program by Federal Health Bureau. Howard Eiting will speak.
7 a. m.—Y. M. C. A. setting up exercises.

TEXAS IS MECCA OF CATTLE BUYERS

Fort Worth, Jan. 30—Texas today is the mecca of the Californian and Mexican cattle buyers. For several weeks they have been combing the ranges for steers for immediate and future delivery. Texas owners are holding on to the stock, however. Buyers are said to be offering as high as $6.50 a hundred pounds in South Texas to choice fat bullocks weighed there without producing results.

Population and meat consumption in California are said to have jumped by leaps and bounds and reports from Pacific coast and inter-mountain states show a shortage in producing areas in Oregon, Washington, Montana and Idaho. Canadian cattle are reported here to be pouring into California through Oregon ports of entry at the rate of ten to fifteen cars a day and paying $2 a hundred pounds duty as well as freight. Canadian cattle are averaging about 1,000 at Sacramento and are commanding about $6 a hundred with some sales as high as $7.60 or about $1 a hundred less than good native stock.

FORTNIGHTLY CLUB OF NIANTIC MEETS

Niantic, Jan. 30.—The Fortnightly Club met with Mrs. Ella Bruce Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 30.

Mrs. Sheldon Parks and children of Warrensburg visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Dingman this week.

Mrs. B. Bruce and Miss Ella Pritchett attended a Home Bureau conference at Champaign last week.

Mrs. Ella Moore has returned home from a business trip at Pawnee.

Mrs. Charles Bickus of Detroit, Mich., is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Curtis Wright is ill.

Misses Marie and Marguerite Henebry of Decatur visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Null have returned home after visiting Mrs. Null's sister and family at Canton, Miss.

Charles Roberts who has been very ill is improving.

Lacy Brock underwent an operation for appendicitis last week at St. Mary's hospital. He is reported to be getting along nicely.

Mrs. George Monical has returned home from the Macon County hospital.

Miss Sadie Daily of Beardstown was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Daily and family.

Miss Esther Wren who attends school at Normal spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wren.

OCONEE COMMUNITY PLAY NETS $36.50

Oconee, Jan. 30—The play "Wishing Well" was given Saturday night by the community club. There was a large attendance and the proceeds were $36.50.

Mrs. Gertrude Gaffner of Pana is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kaiser.

Mr. and Mrs. George Slater and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hinton visited Mr. and Mrs. William Beckett Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Diefenthaler, who is attending Brown's Business college in Decatur spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Nichols of Millersville spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kaiser.

The Baptist revival is still going on with large attendance and several conversions.

John Batton made a business trip to Pana Monday.

CHILD BREAKS BONE

Dorothy Waddington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Waddington, fell while at play at their home in Oconee Sunday and fractured her collar bone. Dr. J. W. Patterson was called to attend the child.

HOME SOON

Homer Earl, aged twenty-four, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Earl of Shelbyville and grandson of Mrs. Anna Earl of Oconee, who joined the U. S. N. in November, 1920 and went from here to Ohio, then to Honolulu, Hawaii and served three years stationed at Schofield Barracks, writes his time has expired and he is sojourning in California. He will be home some time in the near future.

NASH BUYS PLANT OF MITCHELL CO.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—In connection with the celebration of his 60th birthday, C. W. Nash, automobile manufacturer here, attending the automobile show, announced the purchase of the Mitchell Motor company plants and realty at Racine.

Hurry! Hurry!
Stop Your WORRY!
BIJOU
NOW PLAYING
Bijou 8-Piece Orchestra—Every Afternoon and Night.
Harold Lloyd
"Why Worry?"
Pathe comedy
Guaranteed to be the Laughing Hit of the Season
PRICES: Lower Floor .40c, Balcony ....30c, Children ....10c, TAX INCLUDED
Tickling the Town Pink All This Week
Laugh With Lloyd and "Why Worry?"

Church Calendar

THURSDAY

The chorus choir of the First Methodist church will meet at 7 o'clock Thursday evening.

The Boy Scouts of the First Presbyterian church will meet at 7 15 Thursday evening.

The Boy Scouts of the Congregational church will meet at 7 30 Thursday evening.

The St. Paul's Methodist choir will meet for rehearsal Thursday evening in the home of Mrs. Roy Gourley, 1606 East Main.

The sixth ward Ladies' Aid of the First Christian church will meet all day Thursday at the church.

The choir of the Central Church of Christ will practice at the church at 7 30 Thursday evening.

The Willing Workers of the English Lutheran church will meet all day Thursday at the church.

The Ladies Aid of the Church of the Brethren will meet all day Thursday at the church.

Boy Scouts of the Westminster Presbyterian church will meet at 7 30 Thursday evening in the church. Group four will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. J. M. Ticker, 1385 West Wood.

The Willing Workers of the Riverside Baptist church will meet Thursday evening at 7 30 in the home of Mrs. Lebo, 1270 East Vanderhoof street.

District two of the East Park Baptist church will meet all day Thursday in the home of Mrs. John Dunn, 1821 East Main.

The official board of the Antioch Baptist church will meet at the church at 7 o'clock Thursday evening. An in door picnic will be given in the home of Mrs. Posie Shaw, 846 South Franklin, at 8 o'clock Thursday evening under the auspices of the Sewing Circle.

AKRON MAN KILLS WIFE THEN SELF

Akron, Ohio, Jan. 30—Pursuing his wife, Mrs. Bertha A. Funk, 35, into a drugstore in the heart of Akron's fashionable Westside residence district, George R. Funk, 38, shot her through the heart and then killed himself with the same weapon Tuesday night. Half a dozen customers and clerks witnessed the double killing. The Funks were widely known here.

GERMAN FARMERS USE MOVIE FILM

Koenigsberg, Germany, Jan. 30—(AP)—Young pigs handled scientifically can be made to take on weight at the rate of two pounds a day, according to government experts.

A film showing how this is done as well as illustrating the best methods of feeding stock and poultry, has been shown this winter to the farmers of east Prussia.

CLEVELAND MOVIE PRICES LOWERED

Cleveland, Jan. 30—Price reductions of about 30 per cent have been made at two local moving picture theaters to attract additional week day patrons.

DEEDS RECORDED

Horace Pritchett to Mrs. Stella M. Hatcher, lot 76 Pritchett subdivision, $245.

M. G. Stookey to Carrie B. Stookey, lot 1 block 3 May Bros. & Travers sundivision, $1.

Amanda M. Berger to Amanda Berger, lot 17 block 1 Durfee Warren & Co's first addition, $1.

J. R. Ivens to J. T. Lloyd, lot 18 block 4 Homestead Place, $1.

Columbia Phonograph Company
"Bit by Bit You're Breaking My Heart"
captivates everyone who hears Art Kahn and His Orchestra play it on Columbia Record 16 D.
Columbia New Process RECORDS

AVON
NOW PLAYING
2 to 5.30 — 7 to 10.30

WILLIAM FOX presents
Tom Mix IN EYES OF THE FOREST
with TONY, the Wonder Horse
"The Riding Master"
Fox News
Prices 10c, 20c, 30c INCLUDING TAX
THURSDAY, "BUCK JONES"

Empress
QUALITY VAUDEVILLE
NOW PLAYING
VIOLA DANA in "The Heart Bandit"
It's a Metro! 'Nuf Sed!
May Tully Presents
ALYN MANN in "A Whirl of Dance"
GORDON'S COMEDY CANINES
"A Treat for Young and Old"
CHARLIE WILSON "The Loose Nut"

ALHAMBRA — THEATER —
SPECIAL TONIGHT
"The Eleventh Hour"
A LINCOLN J. CARTER MELODRAMA OF LOVE AND PIRATES, with
CHARLES JONES and SHIRLEY MASON
The Thrill of a Thousand Pictures Packed in One
—ALSO—
CHARLES MURRAY in "THE FATAL PHOTO"

'AM I INTRUDING?'
A Thrilling, Tickling, Mystery Comedy
Presented by the
Decatur Players — Notable Cast
Directed by R. H. Heil
For the Benefit of the Boys' Opportunity Home
The Lions club, under whose auspices this play is given will devote the proceeds to the building of additional sleeping room at the Boys' Opportunity Home.
LINCOLN SQUARE THEATRE
TONIGHT and TOMORROW NIGHT
Don't Miss This Remarkable Treat
PRICES:
75c to $2 — No Tax
This Space Contributed By the Following LIONS:
C. N. Gorham & Son. Leath Furn. Co. Neustadt's
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NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

Stock Prices Move Steadily Upward

Disorder in Market Followed by Gains

U. S. Steel Climbs To 107, Highest Since Last April; Rails In Good Shape.

New York, Jan. 30—The disorder into which the market was thrown and the initial outburst of buying and subsequent wave of profit taking was followed by a relatively steady upward movement of prices, but in few cases the high figures of the first few minutes were not touched again before noon. U. S. Steel climbed to 107, the highest since last April, and American Can established another record top at 120¾.

Seasoned dividend paying rails were in good demand, especially Atchison, New York Central and Union Pacific all advanced a point or more.

Call money opened at 4½ percent.

Stock prices bounded upward at the opening of today's stock market in response to the declaration of an extra dividend of fifty cents on U. S. Steel common after the close of the market yesterday. Davison Chemical jumped six points, Pan-American B. and General Electric 2 each, Bethlehem 2, Baldwin 1⅞, and others a point or more. So great was the accumulation of buying orders for U. S. Steel common that no opening price could be determined upon in the first five minutes.

GAINS COMMON.

The initial burst of buying covered all sections of the industrial list, gains of 1 to 2 points being common. When the advance showed signs of halting a flood of profit taking set in which carried Davison Chemical 4½ points from its high, Pan-American B., 2, the A. 2 and American Can, Bethlehem and General Electric yielded 1 to 1½ from their maximum quotations.

American Can and Southern Railway established record highs at 120¼ and 44¾ respectively. American Woolen was weak dropping more than a point. Foreign exchanges opened steady.

The close was irregular.

LAST SALES.

Allied Chemical & Dye	75
American Can	119
American Car & Foundry	170
American International Corp.	25½
American Locomotive	53¾
American Smelting & Ref'g.	59¾
American Sugar	55⅝
American T. & T.	128¾
American Tobacco	153
American Woolen	70
Anaconda Copper	35½
Atchison	101½
Atl., Gulf & W. Indies	16
Baldwin Locomotive	122¼
Baltimore & Ohio	58½
Bethlehem Steel	59⅝
California Petroleum	28
Canadian Pacific	148¾
Central Leather	15¾
Cerro de Pasco Copper	46½
Chandler Motors	61
Chesapeake & Ohio	74
Chicago & Northwestern	52
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul pfd	25¾
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	24¾
Chile Copper	27½
Chino Copper	18
Consolidated Gas	64¾
Corn Products	182½
Cosden Oil	37⅞
Crucible Steel	67½
Cuba Cane Sugar, pfd.	67½
Erie	26⅝
Famous Players-Lasky	63
General Asphalt	43
General Electric	211
General Motors	15
Great Northern, pfd	56¼
Gulf States Steel	83¾
Illinois Central	102½
Inspiration Copper	26
International Harvester	85¾
Int. Mer. Marine pfd.	31½
International Paper	38½
Invincible Oil	15½
Kelly-Springfield Tire	20
Kennecott Copper	36¼
Lima Locomotive	66½
Louisville & Nashville	89⅝
Mack Truck	85
Marland Oil	39⅝
Maxwell Motors B	11½
Middle States Oil	6⅛
Missouri, Kan. & Tex. (new)	12⅝
Missouri Pacific, pfd.	32
New York Central	104
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	15⅝
Norfolk & Western	106½
Northern Pacific	53½
Pacific Oil	55⅞
Pan American Petroleum B	47½
Pennsylvania	45½
People's Gas	97½
Producers & Refiners	40
Pure Oil	21¾
Reading	66½
Republic Iron & Steel	57¼
Sears Roebuck	95½
Sinclair Con. Oil	23½
Southern Pacific	88¾
Southern Railway	43¾
Standard Oil of N. J.	41½
Studebaker Corporation	102
Texas Company	45¼
Texas & Pacific	22
Tobacco Products A	90¼
Transcontinental Oil	5½
Union Pacific	129⅝
United Retail Stores	35½
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	81½
United States Rubber	38¼
United States Steel	103½
Utah Copper	66½
Westinghouse Electric	63½
Willys-Overland	12½

NEW YORK SILVER.

New York, Jan. 30—Bar silver, 63c; Mexican dollars, 48c.

FARM LOANS

We are in position to make loans on farm lands.

The maturities and prepayment privileges are made to suit the individual borrowers' needs.

Illinois Standard Trust Co.

114 N. Water St. Decatur, Ill.

GRAIN PRICES HOLD STEADY

Butterfat Drops to 51, Hogs Down to $6.25.

Grain prices were allowed to stand unchanged by station buyers Wednesday on a market that was fairly steady.

Hogs however declined on large receipts and a tendency to hold back on the part of packers interminal market and local buyers dropped their offers to $6.25 for tops the lowest price for some time.

In poultry and dairy products butterfat started down with a cut of two cents a pound, shippers here now offering fifty-one cents a pound. Poultry is steady and unchanged.

Grain.	
No. 2 hard wheat	.91
Oats	.42
Corn, No. 4 white shelled	.65
Corn, No. 4 yellow shelled	.64
Ear corn	.61
Live Stock.	
Choice young hogs, 200@250	$ 6.00@$ 6.25
Choice young hogs, 130@200	5.75@ 6.00
Heavy sows	5.00@ 5.25
Choice steers, 760-800 lbs.	6.50@ 7.00
Medium steers, 700@900 lbs.	6.00@ 6.00
Choice heifers, 700 to 895 lbs.	6.00@ 6.50
Good heifers, 700-800 lbs	5.00@ 5.50
Choice cows, 800-1000 lbs.	5.00@ 5.50
Medium cows, 900-1000 lbs.	2.50@ 2.75
Cutters	2.00@ 3.00
Bulls	3.00@ 4.00
Spring lambs	9.00@ 10.00
Veal calves	6.00@ 8.00
Canners	1.00@ 2.00
Butter and Eggs.	
Eggs, loss off	.37
Shipping butter	.25
Butter fat, f. o. b. Decatur	.51
Poultry.	
Hens over 4½ lbs.	.22
Hens under 4½ lbs.	.19
Smooth Springs, over 4½ lbs.	.19
Smooth Springs under 4½ lbs.	.16
Leghorn hens	.17
Leghorn spring	.14
Stags	.16
Old roosters	.09
Capons, 10 lbs. and over	.27
Capons, 7-10 lbs.	.25
Light capons and slips over 6 lbs.	.21
Geese, over 8 lbs.	.10
Geese, light,	.08
Ducks	.14
Light ducks	.11
Live pigeons, doz.	.75
Hides.	
Green	.03
Cured beef No. 1	.08
Calf skin, 8 to 15 lbs.	.04
Horse hides	3.00

LIBERTY BONDS.

New York, Jan. 30—Liberty bonds closed: 3½'s, $99.11.
First 4's, $99.9 bid.
Second 4's, $99.11.
First 4¼'s, $99.13.
Second 4¼'s, $99.13.
Third 4¼'s, $99.13.
Fourth 4¼'s, $99.15.
New 4¼'s, $100.8.

MONEY MARKET.

New York, Jan. 30—Call money firm: high, low and last loan 4½; closing bid and ruling rate 4½; offered 4¾; call loans against acceptances 4; time loans steady; mixed collateral 60-90 days 4½@4¾; 4-6 months, 4½@4¾; prime commercial paper 4¾.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

New York, Jan. 30—Foreign exchange firm; Great Britain demand $4.26¼; cables $4.26½; France demand $4.61½; Italy demand $4.34½; Belgium demand $4.10½; Germany demand $.000000000023; Holland demand $37.22; Norway $13.62; Sweden $26.17; Denmark $16.20; Switzerland demand $17.28; Spain $12.69; Greece $1.91; Poland $.000011; Czecho-Slovakia, $2.88; Argentine $33.00; Brazil $11.00; Tokio 45; Montreal 97 1-32.

PRODUCE.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Jan. 30—BUTTER—Lower; creamery extras 45½c; standards 48½c; extra firsts, 47½@48c; firsts, 47@47½c; seconds 45½@46c.

EGGS—Lower; receipts, 6,368 cases; firsts 37½c; ordinary firsts 34@35c; refrigerator extras 27c; firsts, 26@26½c.

POULTRY—Alive lower; fowls, 17@22c; springs, 21c; roosters, 15c; geese, 17c; turkeys, 20c.

POTATOES—Steady, receipts, 25 cars; total U. S. shipments 993; Wisconsin sacked round whites $1.25@1.45; Minnesota sacked round whites $1.20@1.30; sacked Red River Ohios $1.25@1.45; Idaho sacked rurals $1.80@2.00; sacked russets $2.25@2.50; few $2.60.

New York Produce.

New York, Jan. 30—BUTTER—Unsettled, receipts 5,882; creamery higher than extras 51½@52c; creamery extras, 92 score 51c; firsts (88 to 91 score) 48@50½c; state dairy finest 50@50½c.

EGGS—Steady; receipts, 8,652.

CHEESE—Steady; receipts, 161,266 pounds.

LIVE POULTRY—Irregular; fowls, 23@28c; turkeys, 30@32c; dressed poultry quiet chickens 22@48c; fowls, 20@32c.

NEW YORK SUGAR.

New York, Jan. 30—Raw sugar 7.03; duty paid. Refined unchanged.

St. Louis Hay.

St. Louis, Jan. 30—HAY—Receipts, 37 cars, including 31 timothy, 2 clover-mixed, 1 clover, 1 alfalfa and 2 prairie. Medium to low grade hay in over supply, easier in price and draggy; high grades steady. Sales: Timothy—1 car No. 3 at $18, 1 car No. 2 at $19, 1 car do at $20, 5 cars do at $21, 1 car do (part mixed) at $21.50, 1 car do at $22, 1 car standard at $22.50, 3 cars do at $23, 3 cars do at $24, 1 car and part car No. 1 at $25, 1 car do at $26. Clover-mixed—2 cars No. 2 at $21, 1 car light and 1 car heavy mixed at $23. Clover—Part car No. 1 at $26. Alfalfa—2 cars No. 2 at $22.

AUTO PRODUCTION DOWN 3.1 PERCENT

Chicago, Jan. 30—A slight seasonal decrease of 3.1 percent in the production of automobiles during December compared with November 1923 was noted by the monthly business condition report of the Chicago Federal Reserve bank. The output of trucks remained almost the same. Consumption of iron and steel by 26 casting foundries in the district continued to decline during December the report said.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by Lamson Bros. & Co.)

Chicago, Jan. 30—Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
WHEAT—					
May	110 @110¾	111	110	110½	109⅞
July	108 @.....	109¼	107⅞	109	108
Sept.	107¾@107⅝	108¾	107¼	108¾	107⅛
CORN—					
May	80¼@ 80	80⅝	79½	79⅝	80⅝
July	80⅝@ 80½	80⅞	79⅞	80	80⅝
Sept.	81¼@.....	81⅝	80⅝	80¾	81½
OATS—					
May	49 @ 48⅞	49⅛	48⅝	48⅞	48¾
July	46¼@.....	46⅝	46	46⅝	46¼
Sept.	43⅝@.....	43¾	43½	43⅝	43⅝
RYE—					
May	73¼@.....	74	73½	73¾	73¾
July	74¼@.....	75	74⅞	74⅞	74⅝
LARD—					
Jan.	.....@.....	1122	1120	1122	1125
Mar.	1125@.....	1132	1122	1130	1130
RIBS—					
Jan.	.....@.....	....	....	935	942
May	.....@.....	....	....	965	972

WHEAT AND OATS STRONG

Two Grains Advance but Corn Price Goes Down.

Chicago, Jan. 30 — Grain trading veered largely to wheat and oats today and those two cereals advanced whereas corn eventually lost ground both in price and volume of business. Country offerings of corn were said to show an increase. Corn closed weak ½ to ⅝c net lower May 79½@⅝.

The fact that oats this morning started at equal to the top price record of the season counted as a bullish influence on corn and so likewise did New York stock market strength.

Corn opening prices which varied from unchanged figures to ⅜c lower, May 80 to ¼ were followed by a moderate general sag and then a rise all around to above yesterday's finish.

Subsequently oats sold at a new high price record for the season getting above 49c for the first time. Corn, however, encountered resting orders to sell May at 80½c and afterward suffered declines.

More interest was taken in wheat today than has been the rule. There was considerable speculative buying based chiefly on smallness of receipts and on possibilities of crop damage. After opening unchanged to ¼c higher, May $1.10@¼ and July $1.08 the market scored slight further gains.

Sentiment appeared to have become quite bullish in many quarters, and with offerings readily absorbed the market advanced to the best figures in several weeks. The close was unsettled ⅜ to 1⅛@1¼c net higher May $1.10⅜ to 1.10½ and July $1.08⅝@1.09.

Oats started at a shade off to ¼c advance, May 48⅞@49c and despite much profit taking held near to the initial range.

Provisions were easier.

CHICAGO CARS.

Chicago, Jan. 30—

	Rcts.	Con't.	Estd.	Tr. Ago.
Wheat	17	18	32	18
Corn	318	212	208	197
Oats	68	70	70	51
Rye	1	..	..	..
Barley	20	..	..	..

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, Jan. 30—WHEAT—1 hard $1.12¾@1.12½; 2 hard $1.11@1.13.

CORN—2 mixed 78¾@79c; 3 mixed 76½@77½c; 4 mixed 75@76¼c; 5 mixed 73½@74½c; 6 mixed 71½@72¾c; 2 yellow, 80⅝c; 3 yellow 77½@78¾c; 4 yellow, 75@76½c; 5 yellow, 73@74½c; 6 yellow, 72½@73c; 3 white 79@79½c; 4 white, 77@78½c; 5 white 74@75½c; 6 white 72½@72¾c; sample grade 60@71c.

OATS—2 white, 48¾@49½c; 3 white, 45@49c; 4 white, 45@47¼c.

RYE—No. 1, 73¼c.

BARLEY—64@78c.

TIMOTHY—$6.50@8.00.

CLOVER—$18.00@21.00.

LARD—$11.30.

RIBS—$9.50.

BELLIES—$9.50.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Jan. 30—WHEAT—Receipts 144 cars compared with 813 cars a year ago; cash 1 northern $1.15¾@1.19¾; 1 dark northern spring choice to fancy $1.23¾@1.28¾; good to choice $1.19¾@1.22¾; ordinary to good $1.16@1.18¾; May $1.14½; July $1.15½ September $1.13¾.

CORN—3 yellow, 72@72¼c.

OATS—3 white, 44@45c.

FLOUR—Unchanged.

Peoria Cash Grain.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 30—CORN—Receipts, 155 cars; unchanged; 4 all colors 74¼c; 5 all colors, 73@73¼c; 6 all colors, 72c; sample 70½c.

OATS—Receipts, 14 cars; ½c higher; 2 white 47½c.

Kansas City Cash.

Kansas City, Jan. 30—WHEAT—2 hard $1.07@1.22; 2 red $1.13@1.14; May $1.05 asked; July $1.03 asked.

CORN—2 yellow, 74½@75c; 2 mixed, 73½c; May 75¼c bid; July 75½c bid.

OATS—2 white, 50@50½c; 3 white 49½@49½c; 2 mixed, no trade.

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, Jan. 30—CASH WHEAT—2 red $1.18@1.20; 3 red $1.16@1.17½.

CORN—2 white, 82½c; 8 yellow 78@78½c.

OATS—2 white 49½@50c; 3 white, 49@49½c.

CLOSE WHEAT—May $1.11¾; July $1.08¾@1.08⅞.

CORN—May 80¼c; July 80⅝@80½c.

OATS—51¼c.

JOURNAL OF COMMERCE.

Chicago, Jan. 30—Journal of Commerce says: "Wheat bulls were much encouraged yesterday by the character of the buying power which was credited largely to prominent local and Eastern professional traders now in the south. Livermore Howell and Cutten were mentioned as leading buyers. H. J. Blum believes eventually corn will sell around the dollar mark. Other operators are mixed in their opinions some believing it is too early to start a bull movement."

Metal Markets.

New York, Jan. 30—COPPER—Quiet; electrolytic spot and nearby 12⅝c; futures 12¾@12⅞c.

TIN—Easier; spot and nearby $48.25@48.37; futures $48.12@48.25.

IRON—Firmer; No. 2 southern $22.50@23.00.

LEAD—Steady; spot $8.00@8.37.

ZINC—Quiet; East St. Louis spot and nearby $6.50.

ANTIMONY—Spot $10.35@10.40.

CHICAGO HOGS DOWN 20 CENTS

Indianapolis Livestock Markets Run Steady to Lower.

Chicago, Jan. 30—HOGS—Receipts 48,000; active, mostly 10@20c lower than yesterday's average, all interests buying, bulk good and choice 250 to 320 pound butchers $7.00, top $7.00; bulk desirable 180 to 225 pound average $6.85@6.95; better grades 150 to 170 pounds average $6.60@6.80; packing sows $6.25@6.40; killing pigs steady to strong bulk better grades strong weights $5.50@5.75; heavy hogs $6.90@7.00; medium $6.80@7.00; light $6.45@6.95; light lights $5.75@6.85; packing sows smooth $6.30@6.50 rough $6.00@6.30; slaughter pigs $4.50@6.00.

CATTLE—Receipts 10,000; better grades steers generally steady; lower grades slow; steady to weak; fat she stock excepting desirable beef heifers easy killing quality plain; fed steers $7.75@9.50; top yearlings and handy offering $11.00; several loads weighty matured steers $7.00@10.25; bulls strong bulk bolognas $4.85@5.25; veal calves 50c lower; shippers buying sparingly up to $14.00; bulk to packers $11.50@13.00; stockers and feeders scarce; country demand narrow.

SHEEP—Receipts 7,000; active; fat wooled lambs mostly 25c higher; bulk good and choice fat wooled lambs $14.00@14.25; early top to city butchers $14.50; good fat ewes $8.00; feeding lambs $13.50.

INDIANAPOLIS MARKETS.

Indianapolis, Jan. 30—HOGS—Receipts, 10,000; steady to 5c lower; heavies $7.80; lights $7.30@7.35; top $7.40; pigs $5.00@6.75.

CATTLE—Receipts, 1,800; steady; steers, $6.00@9.75; beef cows, $4.00@6.25; heifers $4.50@9.00; calves lower; veals, $10.00@15.50.

SHEEP—Receipts, 200; steady; sheep, $3.50@6.00; lambs $8.00@12.50.

East St. Louis Live Stock.

East St. Louis, Jan. 30—HOGS—Receipts, 19,000; slow round 15c lower; choice butchers $7.20; bulk desirable $7.00@7.15; packer sows mostly $6.25.

CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500; beef steers steady; cows steady to strong; canners dull; light vealers steady at $13.50@14.00; tending lower; other classes steady.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,500; few small lots native lambs $13.00@13.50; asking sharply higher on best lambs; several lots held above $14.00; few mediums to good light ewes $7.50; steady.

Cleveland Live Stock.

Cleveland, Jan. 30—(Bower & Bower report)—HOGS—Receipts 3,500; mediums and heavies $7.60; Yorkers $7.50; pigs, $6.50.

CATTLE—Receipts 500; market slow but steady.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,000.

CALVES—Receipts, 300.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Jan. 30—CATTLE—Receipts 8,000; early trading on desirable beef steers steady; other classes closing dull; with a weaker undertone prevailing; she stock mostly steady; stockers and feeders steady.

HOGS—Receipts, 15,000; 10@15c lower to shippers top $6.80; bulk sales $6.45@6.75.

SHEEP—Receipts, 4,000; lambs strong to 15c higher; sheep steady.

Peoria Live Stock.

Peoria, Ill., Jan. 30—HOGS—Receipts, 2,000; 5@10c lower; top $7.05; lights $6.75@6.95; mediums $6.75@7.05; heavies $6.75@7.05; packers $6.00@6.40.

CATTLE—Receipts light; steady; veal calves top $13.00.

PRICE CURENT.

Chicago, Jan. 30—Price Current says: "Owing to dwindling receipts at terminals mills are drawing on stocks for supplies. In last few weeks total has been cut down more than six million bushels. Aside from this appears to be nothing in situation to cause materially higher levels. Canada, Australia, and Argentine all have a large amount of cash wheat to sell abroad and American prices are around ten cents or more above a world's parity which effectively puts a stop to export business of consequence. Clearances from the Southern hemisphere are now in full swing and Argentine and Australia combined can clear 5,000,000 or more weekly for a long time. Hog slaughtering weat week ended Jan. 26, estimated 1,016,000 against 809,000 last year."

EIGHTH FEDERAL DISTRICT HOPEFUL

St. Louis, Jan. 30—(AP)—There are indications of greater optimism as to the commercial outlook in the Eighth Federal Reserve District, although purchasing continues on a conservative basis, according to the monthly business report of the St. Louis Federal Reserve Bank.

The recent cold spell quickened the sale of seasonal goods, the report asserts, and had a stimulating effect on the fuel situation.

MORE OPTIMISTIC.

"The principal change in the aspect of general business in this district during the past 30 days, as reflected by current reports to this bank," declares the report, "is a greater degree of optimism on the part of business men regarding prospects for the next few months.

While there has been no big increase in activities, and conservatism is still the rule in purchasing commodities, the chief factors which influence commerce and industry are in the main favorable to continuance of the conditions which obtained during the closing months of 1923 and gradual betterment as the present year progresses.

PUBLIC SALE DATES

Jan. 31—J. P. Stoutenborough, 2½ miles west of Argenta.
Feb. 2—Elliott Bros., Illiopolis.
Feb. 5—Simpson Holcomb, Macon.
Feb. 5—W. A. Hill, Oreana.
Feb. 21—The Baird Anchor Farm, Bethany, Ill.
Jan. 30—Lawrence Allen and Delmar Dowler, 1½ miles east Hindsboro.
Feb. 6—A. T. Moss, 4½ miles southwest Hindsboro.
Feb. 7—Clark Eversole, 2 miles north Hindsboro.
Feb. 12—Arthur Davis, 3½ miles southeast Hindsboro.

FARM CONFERENCE SET FOR MONDAY

President Coolidge Names 80 Representatives.

Washington, Jan. 30.—While members of congress continued work on farm relief measures today administration officials went forward with plans for the agricultural conference here Monday. More than 80 representatives of interests affected by the agricultural situation have been invited by President Coolidge to attend.

The list was selected with a view to assembling the ideas of farmers, agricultural colleges, merchants, manufacturers, bankers, chambers of commerce and transportation insurance and mortgage companies.

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, Jan. 30—CLOVER SEED CASH PRIME—Old $14.00; nominal; new, January and February $12.85; March $13.05.

TIMOTHY SEED CASH—And January, $3.95; March $4.00.

New York Cotton.

New York, Jan. 30—COTTON FUTURES—Opened easy, March 33.65; May 33.30; July 32.00; October 27.88; December 27.37.

COTTON—Futures closed steady; March 33.07@33.09; May 33.38@33.40; July 32.10@32.21; October 27.90; December 27.43; spot quiet; middling 33.40.

COMING EVENTS.

Chicago, Jan. 30—Coming Events says: "The extra disbursement by U. S. steel and especially its excellent report of last quarter earnings should stimulate a strong opening this morning. The plethora of money, the large purchasing power of the public and a gradually increasing demand for stocks point to substantially higher prices with the advent of spring. Underlying market factors suggest the staying long of good issues."

ANNUAL POULTRY SHOW AT ARCOLA

Will Be Held from Jan. 30 to Feb. 2.

Arcola, Jan. 30—Arcola's second annual poultry show will be held in the basement of the Arcola theater, beginning Wednesday, Jan. 30, and ending Saturday, Feb. 2.

The Arcola Chamber of Commerce is financing the show and has put up the funds for liberal premiums in all classes. W. G. Baysinger, agricultural instructor in the Arcola high school, is secretary. The high school agricultural class does the work of setting up the pens and managing the show.

Present indications are that the show will be even larger than last year. Several new breeds are entered for competition in different classes.

The show will be opened to the public Wednesday afternoon. No admission is charged. It will close at four p. m. Saturday.

Two special prizes are handsome silver cups, one given by Senator W. B. McKinley and the other by Congressman Moore. They are offered for the highest scoring bird and also for the high scoring pen.

GAME WARDENS LEAVE.

Arcola is breathing easier, Game Wardens Nolan and Huff having departed for Champaign. As a result of their visit seven have so far settled fines for killing rabbits out of season. Two cases are to be heard later. Lucious Sylvester will have a hearing Saturday morning at ten o'clock. Manny Fitzpatrick will have a hearing Monday afternoon at two o'clock.

Discussion of all other subjects has been temporarily dropped in Arcola. One hears nothing now of the Teapot Dome oil scandal, the Lincoln or the Leland cases. Wherever there is a knot of men discussing any subject it is sure to be the prosecutions started by the rabbit shepherds and the populace is inclined to be bolshevestic in its attitude toward the rabbit section of the game laws. It may be extremely difficult to secure conviction of the men charged with shooting rabbits unless the evidence is particularly blood curdling.

Mrs. Betty Harris, of this city, was injured Tuesday morning at Mattoon when she slipped and fell on the ice covered streets, a fracture of her left wrist resulting. Mrs. Harris had been visiting her aunt, Mrs. R. L. Harvey, of Mattoon.

Genevieve Whitmer, a school girl, fell on the sidewalk Monday while on her way from school and fractured her right arm.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Donnell, of Lindsay, Okla., were visitors here Monday and Tuesday. They were recently called to Mattoon by the death of Mr. Donnell's father.

Albert Timm returned Tuesday from Indianapolis where he went on Sunday to attend a lecture given by Judge J. F. Rutherford, president of the International Bible Students.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Cox leave Wednesday for Hamburg, Pa., and expect to spend the next few weeks visiting in the east. They will spend a part of the time at Philadelphia and Atlantic City.

MRS. NORA MERRITT DIES IN HOSPITAL

Resident of Taylorville Since Girlhood.

Taylorville, Jan. 30 — Mrs. Nora Merritt, aged forty-seven, died at 8:10 p. m. Tuesday, at the Palmer Tuberculosis Sanatorium in Springfield.

She was born in Raymond Aug. 10, 1876, and came to Taylorville when she was six years old, remaining here ever since. She is survived by a daughter, Gertrude, and one son, Frederick, a student in the University of Illinois. One sister, Mrs. Minnie Olmstead of Rockford, and one brother, Horace Warner, a merchant at Stonington, also survive.

Mrs. Merritt was a member of the Methodist church, and for ten years was a teacher in the local schools.

FASSERO FUNERAL.

The funeral of Joseph Fassero, theater man who died Tuesday, will be held at the Presbyterian church at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, with burial in Oak Hill cemetery under the auspices of the Elks. Rev. S. B. Harry will have charge of the funeral services.

Local Notices

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Our work and our prices. Our work is done by expert people who are specialists in their line, but we charge no more for our work than those who do not "know." Our services are priced to suit each individual need. Whatever your laundry problem, we can and will solve it. Call us, Main 5834. Tell us what you want laundered and our man will call. Your work will be returned promptly. Decatur Model Laundry Co.

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SQUARE DANCE TONIGHT.

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CENSURE JOHNSTON CITY MINE OWNER

Jury Passes on Colliery Explosion Facts.

Johnston City, Ill., Jan. 30.—No further action is contemplated against the Crerar-Clinch Coal company, owners of the East Side mine, here, in which thirty lives were lost in an explosion Friday, though the county jury late Tuesday afternoon returned a verdict censuring the coal company and its management for having failed to strictly observe safety rules.

This statement was made by Judge A. W. Kerr, chief counsel of the Illinois Mine Workers, who questioned the witnesses at today's inquiry.

SEEK PREVENTION.

"The principal purpose of such an inquiry, under these circumstances," said Judge Kerr, "is to find a remedy to prevent the repetition of such a disaster." Recommendations to this effect were contained in the verdict returned by the county jury.

While the examination of the inquest witnesses failed to reveal directly who was responsible for sending the miners into the abandoned mine coal chamber, in which a "squeeze" had generated it was testified by Floyd Howard, assistant mine manager, that he believed Jesse Ford, face boss, had sent the men there.

MAN ESCAPED.

Ford was one of the victims. At the same time Howard admitted that he had ordered a man, whose name he did not recall, to get his tools, indicating that he should go into the abandoned entry. This man, however, escaped.

H. L. Goodnow, superintendent of the mine, testified that safety rules had been enforced and precautions taken to protect the miners while at work. He expressed the opinion that the gas in the abandoned chamber had been ignited by the open light of one miner.

DID NOT SEE SIGNALS.

A number of miners, all survivors of the fatal explosion, asserted that they did not see danger signals at the abandoned entrance, which company officials testified had been placed there. Some of these men told of dumping coal-dust into the chamber. This testimony was given to prove the contention of the mine union's investigators that the force of the explosion was augmented by the burning of the dust created by dumping out coal.

Johnston City today divided its attention between the proceedings of the inquest and the funerals of victims of the explosion, who were buried today. Business houses and schools were closed today as on yesterday.

David Babington, Jr., one of the injured miners, was reported to be in a very serious condition.

TAKE NUPTIAL VOWS IN IVESDALE CHURCH

Miss Loftus Bride of Dennis Coffey.

Ivesdale, Jan. 30— Miss Matilda Irene Loftus became the bride of Dennis P. Coffey at 8:30 o'clock Wednesday morning, Jan. 30 at St. Joseph's Catholic church by Rev. J. W. Armstrong. The church was thronged with relatives and friends who had gathered to witness the ceremony.

The couple were attended by Miss Caroline Loftus, sister of the bride and Francis Coffey of Champaign, brother of the bridegroom.

SOCIAL EVENTS ARE HELD AT MT. AUBURN

Mt. Auburn, Jan. 30.—Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Armstrong entertained a number of friends in their home southeast of town Saturday evening. The evening was spent in playing five hundred. Grover Rasor received first prize and Mrs. Owen G. Shepherd the consolation prize. Refreshments were served.

Miss Violet Greer entertained the class mates of her Sunday school class and a number of friends in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Greer, east of town, Saturday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in playing games and music. About twenty guests were present. Refreshments were served.

The members of the Berean class of the Christian church reorganized and elected the following officers recently: Mrs. Cora Gibson, president; Miss Leota Linn, vice president; Mrs Pearl Dunn, secretary; and Mrs. Bertha Scholes, treasurer.

The members of the Parent-Teachers' association held a business and social meeting in the third room of the grade school Friday afternoon. Owing to the severe winter weather, a smaller number were in attendance.

BANDITS CAUGHT BY PROMPT ACTION

Looted Catlin Bank of About $3,000.

Chrisman, Jan. 30—Prompt action of Sheriff Tim of Vermilion county in telephoning information about bandits that held up the First National Bank at Catlin, and the good work of the town marshal or Christmas resulted Tuesday evening in the capture of three of the bandits and their commitment to the Edgar county jail at Paris by Sheriff Sisemore of that county. Incidentally the village marshal at Georgetown lost the opportunity of making a name for himself, by releasing the three men after he had once stopped them.

BOUND OFFICIALS.

Four bandits appeared at the National Bank of Catlin and at the point of a revolver bound the president, Herman Douglas; the cashier, Charles Michael; Assistant Cashier May Novaron and two customers.

Two of the men stood guard at the door while the other two grabbed about $3,000, after which the four jumped into their automobile and drove out of town toward the south.

The men, three of them at least, were stopped by the Georgetown marshal, but before Sheriff Tim and two deputies from Danville could reach there the officer let the men go. Sheriff Tim at once telephoned to surrounding towns, with the result that the men were captured when they reached Crisman.

MAN AND MONEY GONE.

As these three men had but little money on them, the fourth is supposed to have taken the loot and been dropped by the others en route, carrying the money to safety for later division.

M'LEAN COUNTY MAN ARRESTED

Earl Van Ness Arrested in Southern Illinois.

Bloomington, Ill., Jan. 30—Earl Van Ness, who disappeared several weeks ago, following the closing of the Farmers State Bank at McLean and the discovery a shortage of $65,000 in accounts of Farmers Cooperative Grain and Supply company of the same place, where he was the manager, has been apprehended in the southern portion of Illinois and was brought to Bloomington this morning to face charges of grand larceny.

When arraigned today on a charge preferred by W. S. Hilligos of Pittsburgh appeared $500 liberty bond belonging to William Bode he waived the hearing and was released on $2,000 bonds.

It is stated that the officials of the institutions concerned with the activities of Young Van Ness, are not seeking a grand jury action. Van Ness denies taking one cent of the money.

LOUISE KOESTER DIES IN MATTOON

Burial Wednesday Afternoon in Shelbyville.

Mattoon, Jan. 30.—Miss Louise Frederica Koester, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Koester of Shelbyville, passed away at the home of her sister, Mrs. Augusta Krick, 601 North Twenty-second street, Tuesday morning at 1:05 o'clock, after an acute attack of heart disease.

Brief funeral services will be said at the Krick home on Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. J. E. Kieffer of Shelbyville officiating. Immediately following the body will be taken to Shelbyville, where the final burial service will be held at the Lutheran church and interment will be in old Cutler cemetery, beside the graves of Miss Koester's father and mother.

Miss Koester had been a resident of this city the past twenty years, having made her home during that time with Mrs. Krick. She was born in Shelbyville on March 25, 1864, and spent her life in Shelbyville and this city.

LISBON LIVES IN FEAR OF VIOLENCE

Lisbon, Jan. 30—(AP)—Lisbon faces a stormy future, in the opinion of a civil governor of the municipality who has just resigned. "Unless proper protective measures are taken, the city may wake up some morning "in a frightful sea of exploding dynamite."

The local politicians are playing with fire, says this former official, whose name is Antonio Videira. During his term of office he was afforded many proofs of the existence of terrorists organizations whose purpose is violence. Only a dictatorship supported by armed force and freed from all party politics can insure safety.

Some of Dr. Videira's revelations are so alarming that it is considered dangerous to make them public. The Portuguese capital has become a center of international revolutionary activity of recent years, and the terrorist propaganda has intensified since the establishment of the dictatorship in Spain.

DEEDS RECORDED

Selena Hoy to A. C. Frasier, lot 9, block 1, E. B. Durfee's third addition (637 W. King street); $1.

A. O. Frazier to Henry Stringer, same property; $3,550.

T. L. Morthland to M. S. Morthland, lot 32, Elm Ridge; $1.

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MOWEAQUA IS SHIPPING CENTER

581 Cars Sent Out During Last Year.

Moweaqua, Jan. 30.—Moweaqua is a real shipping center. During the last year 354 cars of stock and 227 cars of grain were shipped out of here.

Mrs. Floyd Cox is teaching again, after a siege of measles in her family.

Mrs. Alice Simmons, who came from Burton, Ohio, for the funeral of Mrs. Ervilla Sweet, left Tuesday for her home.

Rev. Fred Enslow returned Monday from Roberts, Illinois, where he held a successful evangelistic meeting.

HONORING DR. KYNER.

On Saturday night Mrs. A. D. Kyner had a dinner party in honor of her husband's birthday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Drew and son Donald, Mrs. Katherine Kyser Wooters of Decatur, Miss Bert West and Mr. and Mrs. Will Sanner, Jr. The doctor was showered with cards.

REBEKAH POT LUCK.

On Monday night, following the regular Rebekah lodge, a pot-luck supper was enjoyed by forty-five women.

BANK BEAUTIFUL.

The First National Bank is being re-decorated and looks very handsome in its new dress.

MODERN WOODMEN SOCIAL.

On Monday night a crowd attended the Modern Woodmen supper. There was music by the "Smoke House Orchestra" and a solo by Frank Hourse.

Dan Barkhurst of Lakewood is here in the interest of the Fuller Brush Company.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL WRECK.

Early Monday morning, nine carloads of coal were wrecked by a broken rail south of Walker. The morning trains from the north and south transferred passengers and returned from whence they came. The noon train went around by Sullivan. The wreck was cleared by 3:30 in the afternoon.

T. J. Gordon, John Gordon and Leslie Ribelin went to Decatur Sunday to see George Ribelin, who fell and dislocated his shoulder.

Mrs. Phoebe Duncan has returned from a visit with relatives in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Van Gundy of Decatur spent the week-end with Thomas Knowles.

MARRIED IN NEW YORK.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonald have just received the news of the marriage of their son Clyde to Miss Natalie Young of New York City.

The wedding took place on Dec. 27 in Spring Valley, New York.

Clyde enlisted in the navy about fifteen months ago. Two days after his marriage he sailed for England and upon his return expects shore leave at which time he will bring his bride home.

Wayne Stewart of Brown's Business College spent the week-end at home.

Miss Mary Birkitt of J. M. U. spent the semester vacation with her sister and friends.

Mrs. Everett Poole went to Jacksonville for the week-end, where her husband, Rev. Mr. Poole, has been assisting a brother pastor in an evangelistic meeting which closed Sunday. The Pooles returned Monday to Decatur and are with Mrs. Poole's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stroud.

COUNTY I. O. O. F. MEETS IN DELAND

Deland, Jan. 30—About fifty members of the I. O. O. F. from over the county attended the county meeting here Monday evening. Refreshments consisted of sandwiches and coffee.

The Priscilla luncheon was held Tuesday at Mrs. E. E. Reed's. About thirty-five women attended. A turkey roast was given. The committee was composed of Mrs. E. E. Reed, Mrs. W. T. Churchill, Leota Murphy and Mrs. Ida Trigg.

BIRTHDAY DINNER.

J. H. Rinehart was eighty-three years old Tuesday. A dinner was had for him at noon. Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Steed, Mrs. Emma Campbell and Mrs. Alice Wilson were present.

The next Community Club meeting will be held Feb. 20, and it will be church night. Each family will bring sandwiches and Rev. John R. Golden of Decatur will speak. Miss Doyle of Bethel will sing and Mrs. Bly Pace will read. The Music Club will furnish the music.

Mrs. C. C. Trigg and Mrs. H. E. Bickel were in Champaign Tuesday.

The "500" club will have a party Friday evening at C. J. Porter's.

A dance will be given Friday evening at W. Chaney's.

Fred Haines has been ill.

The Methodist Episcopal luncheon will be held Feb. 6 at the church. The committee is Mrs. J. L. Borton, Mrs. F. Barten, W. R. Bickel, Miss C. Boling, Eva Barnes and Mrs. I. H. Bergman.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lost and Found. 10

BANK BOOK—First National bank book of Taylorville, Ill., in name of Mrs. A. Spinner, lost, with Farmers National Bank of Taylorville deposit slip for $(9)0, in name of A. Spinner. Finder please call Main 3778.

CAMEO PIN—If finder of cameo pin with pendant Sunday, will return to 1110 E. Wood, a liberal reward will be paid. M. 6050.

CAT—Large grey and white male cat, strayed, Sunday night from 996 N. Water. Valued as pet. Liberal reward if returned.

CAT—Lost, young, white male cat. Black spot on head and black tail. Call Main 2521. Reward.

HAND BAG—Brown, lost on N. Water. Contained bills, small change, and Jr. high school book list. Finder call Main 4211 or 316 E. Leafland. Liberal reward.

KEY CASE—Brown leather, containing 7 keys, lost Sat. afternoon. Main 4447.

LADIES' WRIST WATCH—Probably lost in downtown district, Saturday. Inside a coin purse. Reward. Main 4530 after 6 p. m.

MASONIC RING—Lost, between 1100 E. Eldorado and Jasper St. Reward. Return 1117 E. Eldorado.

PURSE—Containing book of 2 cent stamps, $5 bill, $10 bill and some change, lost Tues. Liberal reward. Call Main 3029.

PURSE—Small black purse lost on W. Main St. car, Tues. morn. Contained $2 in bills and small change. Reward. Return to Review Classified Dept.

WRIST WATCH—Ladies, white gold watch, lost. Reward. Call Fairview 1147.

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale. 11

BUICK—Excellent running condition. Good tires. Good appearance. A dandy family car for $195. Terms if desired. W. C. Starr, 530 N. Main St. Main 251.

CHEVROLETS—1923 sedan, several extras. Also a 1922 sedan, 1924 coupe, and a 1922 coupe. Wm. Frede & Son, 126 N. Franklin St.

COLE, EIGHT—Late model touring; with full equipment and California top. Excellent condition. Dan W. Tait, 242 E. William St. Main 184.

DODGES—We have a fine list of good used cars in late models, both open and closed cars. Real values. Come and see them. Guy Ferre Used Car Exchange, 121 N. Church. Main 725. I. O. White, Mgr.

DODGE TOURING—Practically new tires. Excellent running condition. Surely a bargain at $200. W. C. Starr, 530 N. Main St., Main 251.

FORDS—Get your closed car now. Have a 1923 sedan, 3 1920 sedans and 10 coupes, 1920 to 1923 models. See them before you buy. J. G. Starr & Son, 123 S. Franklin St. Main 979.

FORD SEDAN—Exceptional bargain in a 1923 model. Newly painted, five good tires, speedometer, sun visor; looks like a new car. Wm. Frede & Son, 126 N. Franklin St.

FORDS—FORDS—FORDS—

COUPES—Three 1922's, two 1921's, 1920 and 1918 models. All have been overhauled in our shop and are in first-class condition.

SEDAN—1922 two-door. In first-class condition, all around.

TON TRUCKS—1922 model with rebuilt motor, new cab and body. Also three 1922 chassis with rebuilt motor.

TOURINGS—Two 1922 models. Excellent condition, 1st-class paint and upholstering. Oversize cord tires. Also three 1921's 1920 and several others, without starters.

ROADSTERS—1922 model. First-class motor. Oversize cord tires. Good paint, has shock absorbers and other extras. Also 1921's and 1920's and other models with or without starters.

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HUPMOBILE—Roadster; would trade for livestock. C. E. Weston. Fairview 60.

HUPMOBILE—1922 touring, A-1 condition. Repainted. Rewerts & Ehler. "Fair and Square." 316 E. Main St. Main 172.

LEXINGTON—1921 Sport model. Wire wheels. A bargain. Reo Motor Sales Co., 236 E. North St., Main 763.

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REO—1921 light six touring, newly painted, mechanically guaranteed like a new car. Reo Motor Sales Co., 236 E. North St., Main 763.

SPECIAL SALE USED CARS—

FORD—1923, two-door sedan. Good as new. Many extras. Run 2,300 miles.

FORD—1922 coupe. Good condition. New paint. Some extras.

MAXWELL—Good touring and roadster.

NASH—Touring and roadster.

OAKLAND—Touring.

HANSON GARAGE.

235 E. WOOD ST. MAIN 1490.

USED CARS—Good late model cars. Priced right. V. M. Elmore & Son, Used Car Dept. 260 S. Main. Main 867.

CUT RATE PRICES—

50 USED CARS—To select from. Here are a good bargains.

DOLGE—1922 four-passenger coupe.

OAKLAND—1923 coupe.

ESSEX—1920 sedan.

HUDSON—Two late model speedsters.

CASH—TERMS—OR TRADE.

E. G. HEDGES.

332 E. MAIN ST. MAIN 538

USED CARS—During January we will make special prices on our entire stock of used cars. Our stock is all high-class and we can show some unusual bargains. The Decatur Used Car Market, 244 E. Wood Fairview 637

Auto Trucks For Sale. 12

TRUCK—International 2-ton 1919 model. Cloyd Freeman, Sullivan, Ill.

Auto Accessories. 13

AUTO PARTS—Try us first. Used Overland parts our specialty. Emerson Auto Parts Co. 215 N. Fifth. Main 715.

TIRES SACRIFICED—30x3 and 30x3½ for only $3. All larger sizes $4.60. If one of these used tires proves unsatisfactory with a one year, return with receipt and get another at half price. Used Tire Store, 233 East Eldorado. Open from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m.

AUTOMOBILES

Auto Accessories. 12

CORD TIRE—Will sell new 34x4 Lee cord cheap. 842 E. Main.

CUSHIONS—$1.00 each. Tires, good as new, three 37x5, two 33x4½, also other sizes. East Side Wrecking Yard, 1536 E. William St.

Repairing—Service Stations. 16

DECATUR WELDING CO.—Welds and builds up auto cylinders, water jackets, axles, frames. 1217 E. Eldorado. Main 6901.

Wanted—Automobiles. 17

OLD AUTOMOBILES—Wanted. Highest prices paid. Take car to First and William. East Side Wrecking Yard. 1536 E. William St.

WANTED TO BUY—Your Ford or Dodge tourings and other light cars. Adams & Thompson, 503 N. Main. Main 2991.

BUSINESS SERVICE

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DEAD STOCK REMOVED—In town or country, free. Vaults cleaned. Cal Gardner city scavenger. Main 6960.

RAG RUG—And ingrain carpet weaving. Pfister Rug Mfg. Co. R. H. Pfister Prop. 515 E. Eldorado.

Cleaning, Dyeing, Renovating. 20

LEAVE YOUR DIRT AT MERIDITH'S—OUR MODERN, SCIENTIFIC WAY OF RUG CLEANING REMOVES THE DIRT AND GERMS BUT LEAVES THE RUG UNHARMED. DRY CLEANING—SHAMPOOING. MERIDITH CLEANING CO. 320 E. CERRO GORDO. MAIN 205.

Dressmaking—Millinery. 21

SEWING—Plain or fancy! Prices reasonable. 2260 N. College. Fairview 29.

Hairdressing, Massage, Manicure 21A

BEAUTY NOTES—Every woman should have a knowledge of how to keep a beautiful skin. Consult Mrs. Heller, 136 S. Water.

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SMITH, MONROE & SMITH—All kinds of insurance. Over Parlor Mkt. Main 1226

Moving, Trucking, Storage. 25

DAVIS LIVERY—Hauls trunks 50 cts. Moving by load. Storage $1.00 up. Warehouse office 527 N. Union. Main 849.

KEEP MOVING, PLEASE—

VANS—TRUCKS—DRAYS—For hauling anything, anywhere.

STORAGE—Our storage department affords you a clean and safe place for storing household goods and merchandise.

PACKING — SHIPPING — MOVING—Use Meridith equipment for satisfactory service

MERIDITH MOVING & STORAGE CO.

320 E. CERRO GORDO ST. MAIN 205

Painting, Papering, Decorating. 26

PAINTING—And paperhanging wanted. Brown's Paint and Wall Paper Store, 865 N. Water.

PAPERHANGING—And painting. First-class work. C. Dady. Main 3948.

PAPER HANGING—And painting. 1st-class work guaranteed. F. H. Condon. Fairview 2263.

PAPERHANGING—At reduced prices. Call A. L. Bridges. Main 2541.

PAPERHANGING—By practical man. Call Fairview 575.

PAPERHANGING—Cleaning, painting, varnishing. N. W. Ayers. 1746 E. North. M. 1958.

Professional Services. 28

PRINCE, DR. A. E.—

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat, Of Springfield, Ill. Consultation days the first and third Tuesdays at offices of Dr. Tobey (Dentist). 550 Standard Life Bldg., Decatur, Illinois.

Repairing, Refinishing. 29

CLOCKS REPAIRED—At your home; all work guaranteed. Call Main 2371 or Main 1065.

FURNITURE REPAIRNG—Any other repairs about your home. Home Repair Shop 216 East Division. Fairview 1637.

ROOFING—Now is the time to get that new roof. Agent for the Mule Hide Asphalt Shingles and Roofings. Standard Roofing Co. 228 Citizen Bldg. Main 2746

SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED—Prepare now for your spring sewing. Have your sewing machine cleaned and repaired by an expert. Will call at your home and give estimates free. Taylor Music Shop. 241 E. Eldorado. Main 827.

VIOLIN REPAIRING—Expert work. Guaranteed. Park St. Furn. Store. Main 670.

WATCH—And jewelry repairing. Reliable work at low prices. Gotthelf's Jewelry Store. 118 Merchant St.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female. 32

BEAUTY CULTURE—Ladies, our free catalog explains how we teach you quickly. Write Moler College. 105 S. Wells Chicago.

MAID—For general housework. Small family. 1584 W. Wood. Main 6144.

WAITRESS—Experienced, wanted at the Canton Tea Gardens.

Help Wanted—Male. 33

AUTOMOBILE MECHANIC—Wanted first-class, experienced, to work in Ford service station. Applicant must furnish references. C. M. Forrester, Ford dealer, Harvel, Illinois.

BARBERING PAYS—Easy to learn. Short course qualifies. Catalog explains. Moler Barber college. 105 S. Wells, Chicago.

BOY—With wheel wanted for light delivery. Good pay. 215 E. Central Ave.

CABINET MAKERS—Wanted, at 510 Wabash Ave.

MAN—Can use a good man with car to work near your home. Permanent, well paying position. See or write. C. W. Adams, 637 Standard Life Bldg. Decatur, Ill.

MAN—Large corporation wants a service man in every town to paste up its signs on store keepers' windows. Excellent opportunity for reliable party. No experience necessary. We also have attractive proposition for agents and salesmen. Guarantee Sign Service, 867 W. Superior Chicago.

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VACUUM CLEANER SALESMAN—Responsible men desiring excellent connection, with large company in Decatur. Address Box 570, care Review.

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SAY it with Review classified ads.

EMPLOYMENT

Salesmen and Agents. 35

HOSIERY SALESMEN—If you can sell Chiffon silk hose that retail for 2, 3, and 4 dollars per pair, write to Dakin Knitting Mills, Milton, Pa.

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SALESMAN—A national corporation with offices in all principle cities, can use a high powered salesman. Phone Mr. Healy Main 170 for appointment.

SALESMEN—Factory representative will be in your city Thursday and Friday to interest you in the fastest selling essential line in United States. Salesmen all ear big money, will pay you to write. Give phone and address Box 572, care Review.

Situations Wanted—Female. 36

EXPERIENCED GIRL—Wants light housework or will care for children. 25c an hour. Fairview 2308.

Situations Wanted—Male. 37

BOOKKEEPER—Or accountant. Permanent position. Graduate in accountancy. Best of references. Lawrence L. Carroll, Windsor, Ill.

RETAIL SALESMAN—Experienced. Can furnish best of references as to character and ability. Address Box 573, care Review.

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BUSINESS PROPOSITIONS—Buildings and leases. Negotiations confidential. C. A. Burks, 118½ E. William St.

GROCERY AUCTION—

W. R. McGuire, 156 S. Main. Quiting business, I will sell my entire stock of staple groceries, and all store fixtures, starting Wednesday night, Jan. 30. First auction at 7:30. Auction Thursday and Friday, at 2 p. m. and 7 p. m. daily. Private sale, big discount. A sale that is different. Come, buy at your own prices. Store fixtures will all sell at Friday afternoon sale, starting at 2 p. m. sharp. National cash register, Dayton computing scales, large Cary fireproof safe, one Buick truck in good shape, platform scales, refrigerator, floor case, candy scales, and etc. W. R. McGuire, 156 S. Main St., owner. Glenn Foster, Mdoe, auctioneer of Lovington, Ill., conduction sale.

LUNCH ROOM—And confectionery, close to 4 schools. 511 E. North St.

MEAT MARKET—And fixtures. In good location. Rent reasonable. Fairview 1919.

SMALL GROCERY—East side. Bargain. Owner Ill. Main 1991.

Money to Loan. 40

CITY PROPERTY—See us for loans on city property. Good mortgages for sale. Schoenle & O'Mara. Phone Main 2208. 123 E. Main street.

LOANS—Reliable people, without banking facilities take advantage of the liberal confidential and polite service rendered daily by The Fidelity Loan Company, 815 Citizens Bank Bldg. Phone M. 370. Hours: 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays 1 p. m.

REAL ESTATE LOANS—ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE. JOHNSON & BOBB. 127 E. PRAIRIE ST.

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COLLIE—Thorough bred. 5 months old. Very reasonable. 511 S. Crea. Main 3324.

FOX TERRIER PUPS—For sale at 1005 S. Maffit.

Horses, Cattle, Vehicles. 48

HORSES—Pair dapple grey mares and three cheap farm horses. Fairview 60.

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BABY CHICKS—All varieties, 10 cts. and up. Free catalogue. Write or call. Hayes Bros. Hatchery. 2030 N. Monroe. Main 2508.

EGGS—Buff Rock hatching eggs. $6 per 100. Mrs. Earl Good, R. R. No. 1. Call County 943, ring 12.

GEESE—7 geese, from registered stock. They will lay this spring. F. H. Nicholson. 2020 N. Lowber. M. 2427.

INCUBATOR—Queen, 165 egg. Good order. Call Main 2085.

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POULTRY—We always pay full cash for poultry, eggs, hides, junk. I. A. Wallins 263 Wabash Ave. Main 21.

WE HATCH YOUR EGGS—For 3c each during February. Reserve your space now at this low rate. Write for free descriptive catalog and prices on baby chicks. Standard Chickeries, 905 E. Wood St. Main 1303.

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Articles For Sale. 51

BABY BUGGY—Large brown reed baby buggy. In good condition, 38. E. Carter Rose. 555 N. Water. Main 4574.

SUIT CASES—Leather hand bags and suitcases at reduced prices. Closing out our stock of Gladstone bags at a big discount. Abe Friedlander, 134 Merchant St.

Business and Office Equipment. 52

BABY BUGGIES—Dark blue reed Lloyd loom baby buggy, almost new, $15. Also grey reed stroller, $9. Perry's Second Hand Store, 820 S. Webster. Main 2547.

DESK—Roll top desk and chair. Good condition. Sell very reasonable. Meridith Storage Co., 320-50 E. Cerro Gordo.

GUARANTEED TYPEWRITER SERVICE—Any standard machine. Call Main 1505. Burks' Typewriter Co. 118½ E. William St.

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SODA FOUNTAIN—8 feed, with back bar and carbonator machine. In good condition. Only $300. Come at once and see it or call Eureka Cafe, Shelbyville, Ill.

SODA FOUNTAIN—14 Ft. And all equipment, including electric mixers, dishes, spoons, tables, etc. Will sell cheap. Apply Green Lantern.

DECATUR TYPEWRITER SERVICE CO.—L. C. Smith distributors. New and rebuilt typewriters of all makes. 851 N. Main street. Main 1787.

Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers. 56

COAL—Riverton lump, $6.25 per ton; egg $5.75. Delivered. Decatur Disposal & Fuel Co. Main 1670.

COAL—Try our Springfield lump coal. More heat, less ash. Geo. B. Church. 909 W. Sawyer. M. 6880.

GOOD COAL—Peabody special big lump. Honest weight, prompt service. Jas. J. Shutt. 861 E. Division. Main 281.

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APPLES—$1 bu. up. York, Winesaps, etc. C. W. Koch. Phone C. 983, R. 18.

COUNTRY PORK—Delivered. Special price on half or whole hog. C. 994, R. 2.

HONEY—Strained, 25c lb.; 10 lbs., $2.25. Absolutely pure. M. 4082. 2121 N. Water.

ORANGES—Golden Russett oranges from Florida. $2 bu. 331 N. Main.

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We have no pots of gold at the rainbow's end—no geese that lay golden eggs—no Fountains of Youth—no hidden chests of pirates' treasures—no mythical well-springs of fabulous wealth of any description.

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DINING CHAIRS—3 sets of oak dining chairs 4 No. 18 size heaters. Cook stoves $9.75. We buy, sell and rent furniture. Main 848. Davis Storage Co. 527 N. Union

ELECTRIC WASHING MACHINE—"Gainaday." Cheap. Call at 630 S. New.

FURNITURE—January clearance sale, 20% to 50% off on all furniture. Eldorado St. Furniture Co. Frank Kincaid, Mgr. 653 E. Eldorado.

FURNITURE—

Leaving the city. All household goods, not sold by Wed. will be stored. Bedroom suite, dining room suite, library table, tea cart, and chairs and rockers, army cot with mattress, carpets and drapes, kitchen stove, coal oil stove and heater, baby's bassinette, scales and wardrobe, child's iron bed, kitchen cabinet and kitchen table, 907 W. Wood.

FURNITURE—Party leaving city will sell beautiful mahogany dining room suite, also living room suite. Bedroom suite, rug etc. Call 1038 W. Prairie, mornings.

LEATHER ROCKERS—3 massive rockers, worth $50 each. Priced $15 each. Globe Furniture Co. 825 N. Water. Main 8637.

MATTRESSES—At factory to you prices. Decatur Mattress Factory 1025 N. Water. Main 1666.

SEWING MACHINES—

Just received a fine lot of Drophead sewing machines. $12 up. Terms if desired. The Decatur Music Shop 118 E. William. Main 1550.

WARDROBE—Large, black walnut, for sale. 738 N. Church.

TRADE AT PARK ST. FURN. STORE—A better grade of used furniture and stoves at a saving to you. We buy for cash and sell for cash. Park St. Furn. Store. Main 679.

UNREDEEMED STORAGE FURNITURE—

COMPLETE OUTFIT—We are showing this week a mighty smart outfit for the couple who want good substantial furnishings at a moderate price. There is a fine dresser, brass bed, new spring and mattress, dining table and chairs, kitchen cabinet, gas stove, 2 rockers, 2 good rugs and a beautiful library table, all for only $177.00.

FOR LARGER FAMILY—We have another special outfit consisting of kitchen cabinet, gas stove, bed, spring, mattress, dresser, sewing machine, table, chairs, rockers, library table, davenport and 3 room size rugs. This outfit for $79.25

WE HAVE ONLY A FEW OUTFITS—Like these and advise early selection.

CASH OR CREDIT.

MERIDITH STORAGE & FURN. CO.

320 E. CERRO GORDO ST. MAIN 205.

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STEAM ENGINE—60 H. P. "Atlas," cheap. Decatur Ice Cream Co. Main 262.

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PIANO—A Hallet & Davis, newest style, looks brand new. Beautiful walnut case. A quality piano for particular buyers. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St. Main 315.

PIANO—Kimball make. Walnut case. Terms if desired. Priced to sell quick. $90. 822 W. Decatur St. Fairview 1798.

PIANO—Used Kimball piano. Mahogany finish. Excellent condition. $195. The Decatur Music Shop. 118 E. William. Main 1550.

PLAYER PIANO—A Lindeman in dull mahogany case that looks like new. A wonderful value. 26 rolls, scarf and bench included. $360. Terms made to suit. See and hear this high grade piano. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St., Main 815.

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Mahogany case and in excellent condition. A small payment down delivers it to your home. Linn & Scruggs. Music Dept.

USED PLAYER—Mahogany finish. Sold new in August for $495. Price now $298. The Decatur Music Shop, 118 E. William. Main 1650.

Specials at the Stores. 64

ORANGES—Plenty of sweet oranges, $2 per bu. 331 N. Main.

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FLANNEL SHIRTS—Men's flannel shirts in tan and khaki. Special at $1. W. Rosenberg, 125 S. Water.

LADIES' COAT—And woolen suit. Size 36. Man's overcoat, size 42. Call Main 2784 mornings.

Wanted—To Buy. 66

BARBER CHAIRS—2 white enamel, wanted. Address Box 555, care of Review.

ELITE FURNITURE STORE—We pay cash for your used furniture and stoves. We repair all kinds of stoves. 808 N. Water. Main 601.

FURNITURE WANTED—We will sell your furniture on commission for its highest market value, either at auction or private sale, or you can sell it to us for cash. I. J. Glosser, Mgr., Auctioneer, Decatur Auction Co. 625 N. Water St. Phone Main 4349

MERCHANDISE

Wanted—To Buy. 66

FURNITURE—Want to buy good used furniture. We pay highest cash prices. Park St. Furn. Store, Main 679.

SHOW CASE—Five or six foot. Must be in good condition. Call M. 651. Ask for Mr. Bergen.

500 MEN'S USED SUITS WANTED—WE PAY CASH. SOL SUSLER, 745 N. WATER. PHONE FAIRVIEW 680. WE WILL CALL AT YOUR DOOR.

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WOOD ST., W., 1260—Modern rooms, board if desired. Call Fairview 1493.

DELIGHTFULLY LOCATED—Good sleeping room in modern home on West Main car line; home cooking if desired. Fairview 1982.

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COLLEGE ST., N., 139—Modern furnished room. City heat. Call Main 4373.

EDWARD ST., N., 828—Two modern furnished sleeping rooms. Fair. 2467.

MAIN ST., S. 449—Modern sleeping rooms, private entrance, $1.75 and up.

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UNION ST., N., 1019—Modern sleeping rooms. Call Fairview 1334.

WILLIAM ST., W., 216—Large modern warm front room; private entrance; gentlemen.

WOOD ST., W., 267—Newly furnished, all modern sleeping room, close in.

WEST PART—Large, light furnished room, twin beds; 2 large closets; private bath with shower; heated garage space. Main 1678.

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COLLEGE, N., 826—2 modern well furnished rooms. Adults. Garage. M. 6066.

DECATUR ST., W., 740—Two beautiful l. h. k. rooms, connecting bath. Private entrance. Call Fairview 60.

ELDORADO ST., E., 1141½—2 modern furnished rooms. Fairview 228.

ELDORADO, W., 268—2 modern unfurnished light housekeeping rooms and 1 furnished sleeping room. Main 3344.

ILLINOIS ST., N., 247—Two connecting modern furnished front rooms. Main 761.

KING ST., E. 200—2 large l. h. k. rooms, Modern. Adults.

KING, W., 532—2 rooms and kitchenette, ground floor, private entrance.

LEAFLAND, E., 1431—2 unfurnished rooms for rent.

MAIN ST., E., 261—Furnished l. h. k. rooms. Strictly modern. Fair. 832.

MAIN ST., W., 264—Two modern furnished l. h. k. rooms.

MONROE ST., N., 820—Two modern connecting rooms, private entrance.

MORGAN ST., N., 1360—Modern rooms, furnished for l. h. k.; can accommodate more than two; cheap rent; garage if desired.

NORTH ST., W., 320—Two modern furnished rooms; main floor, private entrance, city heat.

WILLIAM ST., E., 1546—3 unfurnished rooms; on car line. Fairview 151.

UNFURNISHED ROOMS—City steam heat, electric light, gas stove. J. L. Drake. 230 N. Main.

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BROADWAY, N.—4-room flat. Apply 541 Wabash Ave. or call Main 1364.

CHURCH ST., N.—Furnished apartment, 8 large rooms and bath. Sink in kitchen. Main 6341.

COLLEGE ST., N., 328—6 rooms and bath. Ivory finish, oak floors, gas grate in fireplace. Garage. For family use only. Shown by appointment only. Apply J. E. Freeman, Citizens National Bank.

COMMODORE APARTMENTS—6 rooms. Modern. Call C. H. Pierce. Main 188.

EDWARD ST., N., 1270—Three-room flat, modern; heat and water furnished.

WATER ST., N., 547—4-room flat, second floor. Bath, gas and electric lights. $33 per month.

WATER ST., N., 857—5 rooms with bath, hot water heat. Inquire of Dr. Bell, 851 N. Water.

5 ROOMS—Upstairs, modern except heat and bath. Call Fairview 1490.

Business Places For Rent. 75

WATER ST., N.—200 block, ground floor, ½ store space from front to rear. C. N. Gorham & Son

Houses For Rent. 77

CLINTON ST., N., 1055—5-room partly modern cottage. Gas stove furnished. Call 1059 N. Clinton.

ILLINOIS ST., N.—2200 block; four-room house. Apply 451 North Water. Main 4476.

MAIN, W., 240½—6-room house, modern except heat. Main 479.

WILLIARD AVE., 1242—6 room partly modern cottage, $22.50. See owner, 1507 E. Marietta St.

WOOD ST., W. Nine-room house. Ready February 1st. Entirely modern, well heated. Convenient to school and car line. Double garage. This is a real comfortable home. Telephone Fairview 1221.

WOOD ST., W., 900 BLK.—10-room house. $70 per month. 14-month lease. B. B. Burns, Fair. 664, 156 S. Water St.

855 N. COLLEGE—Seven-room modern, with garage. Phone M. 7112.

NEAR UNIVERSITY—Furnished 5-room, all modern bungalow. F. 1337.

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Houses For Rent. 77

BUNGALOWS—2 modern bungalows, 5 and 6 rooms. Apply 958 S. Traver. Main 1445.

Suburban For Rent. 79

COTTAGE SITES—Ten; on Lake Decatur, for rent for term of years. $2.50 per month. Will build to suit lessee. E. L. Carter, 138 N. Franklin. Main 5226.

Wanted—To Rent. 81B

ROOMS—4 or 5 unfurnished rooms, with private entrance, wanted at once. Close in. References. Main 6204.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Brokers in Real Estate. R

ALLEN, A. C.—Real estate, loans, insurance and rental agency. 321 W. Division. Main 1723.

Houses For Sale. 84

CENTER ST., E., 350—New 5-room bungalow. Can finish 3 rooms upstairs. Fireplace, built-in bookcase. Thoroughly modern; hardwood floors throughout. Built for a home. $3,000, balance terms. Call owner, Main 4007.

CHURCH ST., N.—4 blocks out. 5-room cottage, all modern; with sleeping porch; concrete basement; large lot; three-car garage. $4,500. $1,500 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

ELDORADO ST., E.—5-room partly modern cottage. $650 down, $3,500. D. D. Hill & Son. Main 373.

ELDORADO ST., W.—5-room cottage, part modern; on full lot, $3000. $700 down. Decatur Real Estate Co., 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

GARFIELD AVE., E.—6 rooms, 4 down and 2 up. Has electric lights, well and cistern. On lot 40x150. $500 down, $20 per month. Price $3,000. Camp & Emrich, 202-3 Neustadt Bldg. Main 2544.

GRAND AVE., W.—Two 5-room bungalows. Thoroughly modern; up-to-date. $5,000; $1,000 will handle. F. M. Tarr, 133 E. Prairie Ave. Main 6862.

ILLINOIS ST., S.—5-room cottage, thoroughly modern. Only been built a few years. Price $3,800. Less than what it can be built for. Terms. F. M. Tarr, 133 E. Prairie Ave. Main 6862.

JASPER ST., N.—5-room all modern cottage. Full lot. Paved street, $3,600. $1,200. Decatur Real Estate Co., 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

KING ST.—Close to Water, seven-room house, modern except furnace; 3 bedrooms; upstairs arranged for light housekeeping. Full lot, garage, $3,800, $500 down. Decatur Real Estate Co., 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

MAIN ST., N.—5 room attractive bungalow, with built-in features. Large living room and bedrooms. Full concrete basement. East front. Lot 40x172. A real bargain at $4,200. $500 down. H. E. Cannon, 145 Merchant St. Main 8214.

MAIN ST., N.—5-room modern bungalow, on full lot; many built-in fixtures. $4,500, $1,000 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

MAIN ST., N.—Six-room house, part modern. On full lot with garage. $2,800. $1,100 down. Decatur Real Estate Co., 717 Gushard Bldg., Main 963.

MAIN ST. NORTH—New four room bungalow. Electric lights, concrete, basement, full lot; fine location. Only $2,700. $600 cash, balance easy. D. D. Hill & Son, 614 Millikin Bldg., Main 373.

MARION ST., E.—6-room cottage, $500 down, price $1,050. D. D. Hill & Son. Main 873.

MONROE ST., N.—Good 6-room mod. home, 3 large bedrooms, everything in fine condition, garage. Paving paid. Price $4,600. $500 to $1,000 down. J. Robertson. 622 Gushard Bldg. M. 387.

PRAIRIE AVE., E.—5-room modern bungalow. Garage. Pavement paid. $4,800 with terms. Stringer & Workman, 110 S. Water St. Main 4951.

PRAIRIE AVE., E.—7-room house, on lot 80x150 with good well and cistern. $3,200. $650 down and $30 per month. Stringer & Workman, 110 S. Water St. Main 4951.

UNION ST., NORTH—Owner transferred to another locality is selling his 5-room modern bungalow. Living room entire width of house with fireplace and bookcases. Two large bedrooms downstairs with cross ventilation. Large closets with windows. Large kitchen and bath with linoleum. Solid oak floors, built-in features. Attic finished and converted into large sleeping room. Built less than a year. East front lot. Garage. Must be seen to be appreciated. Can arrange terms. Drake & Hanselman 330 N. Main St., Main 1002 or Res. M. 6558.

WILLIAM ST., E.—Brand new 5-room mod. bungalow, solid oak throughout, fine lot with garage. Paving paid. Price $5,000. $500 down. J. Robertson. 622 Gushard Bldg. M. 387.

ATTRACTIVE BUNGALOW—5 rooms modern. Oak floor, fireplace, linoleum, shades and gas stove included. Garage. Paving paid. Priced for quick sale at $4,900. B. F. Cloud & Son. 118 Merchant St. Main 3309.

BUNGALOW—Modern, full lot, paved street, garage, reasonable. Main 1705.

BUNGALOWS—Start paying today for a modern bungalow and be your own landlord. $500 down, balance in monthly payments. J. L. Burtschi Co. 233 S. Park. Main 159.

CITY PROPERTY—Vacant lots. Fire, lightning and tornado insurance. Investment bonds. C. L. Nolte Realty Co. 548 Standard Life Bldg. Main 1960.

EAST SIDE—Nearly new 5-room mod. bungalow; large lot with garage, east front. Price $3,850. $500 down or will take a Ford as part payment. J. Robertson. M. 387.

EAST SIDE—New 5-room modern bungalow. Up-to-date. Hardwood floors throughout. $5,000; $1,000 will handle. F. M. Tarr, 133 E. Prairie Ave., Main 6862.

GOOD LOCATION—8-room house. Part modern. On full lot. Paved street, $4,000. $500 down. Decatur Real Estate Co., 717 Gushard Bldg., Main 963.

NEAR CAR LINE—8 rooms modern. Newly decorated. Full lot. Garage. On pavement, $4,300. $1,000 down, balance monthly. 6 rooms, partly modern. In good repair. On full lot. Price $2,700. $300 cash, balance $25 per month. L. W. Niles Main 381.

NORTH AND NORTHWEST PARTS—7 fine brick homes. Some brand new. All the built-in features known to the builders' art. As good as the best, better than the rest. Fine location; brick garages, concrete drives. Other properties, in all parts of the city. Robert Huston & Co. Main 528. Over Farmers State Bank.

NORTHEAST—Just about completed a real 5-room modern bungalow, south front, solid oak floors, $4,700. $700 cash. Balance as rent. Hazenfield, 118 Merchant St. Main 894.

NORTHEAST—New 5-room house. Electric lights, full basement, full lot, block from car. Call F. 2471 after 5:30 p. m.

NORTH SIDE—5-room bungalow on full lot. Nearly new. Owner leaving. Very anxious to sell. A bargain at $4,250. $500 to $1,000 down. C. H. Pierce & Son, Main 188.

NORTHWEST—Brand new 5-room mod. bungalow, long living room with fireplace. Built-in features. Breakfast nook, in-a-door bed, hardwood floors. Paving paid. Price $5,200. $1,000 down. J. Robertson, 622 Gushard Bldg. M. 387.

NORTHWEST—Close to Junior high schol. A good 6-room cottage, thoroughly modern. Large lot with garage. $4,000, on terms. Stringer & Workman, 110 S. Water St. Main 4951.

NORTHWEST—New 5-room modern bungalow; oak floors throughout; full concrete basement; full lot. $4,750. $500 down. Decatur Real Estate Co., 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

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NORTHWEST—Close to Roosevelt school. Under construction, 5-room Dutch Colonial bungalow; all modern; oak floors; built-in cabinets; fireplace, and dining room furniture. Full concrete basement; garage. $4,900. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

NORTHWEST—Two 5-room bungalows. Practically new. Can be handled at $500 down. F. M. Tarr, 133 E. Prairie Ave. Main 6862.

NORTHWEST PART—6-room bungalow on full lot; built one year. $2,500. $300 down. Decatur Real Estate Co., 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

NOW IS THE TIME—To buy your home. I have some good choice listings of property; prices are right. Can be handled on easy terms. See F. M. Tarr. 133 E. Prairie Ave. Main 6862.

SOUTHEAST SIDE—Very desirable location; five-room cottage; on full lot; lights, furnace, garage; a nice home for $300 down. Main 2575 or 5673.

SOUTH PART—4-room cottage. On full lot, $1,800, $300 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

WEST—Of postoffice, two blocks. Seven room modern house. All newly decorated. Oak floors. Fireplace. Full lot with garage, $6,500. $2,500 down. Decatur Real Estate Co., 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

WEST PART—6-room Dutch Colonial bungalow; all modern; oak floors; has many built-in features; three large well ventilated bedrooms; on full lot. $7,000. $3,000 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

WEST SIDE—5-room modern bungalow. Colonial style. Oak floor, fireplace, gum woodwork, $125 set cabinet in kitchen. Basement garage. Genuine buy at $5,000. Terms. D. D. Hill & Son. Main 373.

WEST SIDE—5-room new modern bungalow. Full lot. Payment plan. Zimmerman & Pistorius, Stine Bldg. Main 6984.

WEST SIDE—6-room, all modern brick bungalow, oak floors and finish, large lot; well located, $8,000. 6-room all modern cottage, on nice large lot with garage. N. College St. $5,000. J. R. Darden, Realtor, 348 W. Prairie Ave. Main 3520.

5, 6, AND 8 ROOM—Modern houses on west side. Farms, 80, 120, 160 acres for sale. Vacant lots. Fire insurance written. James C. Lyons, Main 6408.

$200 DOWN—And $25 per month buys a good 6-room house with electric lights, and city water at back porch. Close to factories and street car. Stringer & Workman, 110 S. Water St. Main 4951.

Lots For Sale. 85

COTTAGE SITES—Ten, on Lake Decatur, for rent for term of years. $2.50 per month. Will build to suit lessee. E. L. Carter, 138 N. Franklin, Main 5226.

MAIN ST., WEST—Two 50-foot lots. Finest location in city. C. H. Pierce & Son. Main 138.

LOTS—2 west end lots, $1,100 each. Full 50 ft. lot, paving, sewer etc. paid. $1,000. Terms. Main 5550.

WEST SIDE—Lot, for sale cheap. Address Box 574, care Review.

Suburban For Sale. 87

7 ACRE TRACT—Well located, near hard road, ideal for chicken ranch or truck farming. Godwin & Goddard, Realtors. Over West's Drug Store. Main 454.

Real Estate For Exchange. 88

JASPER, S., 1135—6-room house, for sale or will take city lots as down payment. Call Main 6297.

Wanted—Real Estate. 89

CITY PROPERTY—Do you wish to sell or trade your city property or land? See us, we have the customers. T. P. McShane, 139 Merchant St.

HOUSE—Of 5 or 6 rooms, to be moved from lot. Call Main 3253 after 5 p. m.

HOUSE—5 or 6 rooms modern wanted. Well located. $500 cash, balance terms. B. B. Burns, 156 S. Water St.

LIST YOUR PROPERTY—With J. T. Pierce or F. M. Tarr, 133 E. Prairie Ave. Main 6862.

PROPERTY—Wanted to buy a cheap property. Must consider some trade. Main 517.

SUBURBAN HOME—Small improved suburban home. On terms; might pay all cash. B. B. Burns, Realtor, 156 S. Water St.

80 ACRES WANTED—In Macon County. Cash customer will buy 80 or possibly 120 acres immediately. B. B. Burns, Realtor, 156 S. Water St.

WE CAN SELL—Your property quickly if it is listed with us and the price is right. List with us now. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard B'dg. Main 963.

AUCTIONS—LEGALS

Auction Sales. 90

AUCTION SALE—The Oakland Ave hardware store is going out of business. $10,000 stock and fixtures to go at auction. Every day at 2 p. m. to 7 p. m. beginning Sat. February 2nd. and continuing until everything is gone. Sale at 134 S. Oakland. Decatur, Ill.

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Business room at 528 N. Water St.
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Long leases, reasonable rent.

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If you want to sell that vacant lot call me. If you want to buy a lot, I have one for you in any part of the city.

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SOUTHEAST—6 room cottage; modern except bath tub; on full lot, $2800. $300 down.

EAST PART—5 room modern bungalow; hardwood floors; built in features. Close to William St. on Second St. Owner leaving city. $4200, $500 down.

EAST PART—5 room cottage; modern except bath tub; full lot with double garage. $4000. $1000 down.

EAST PART—Modern except bath tub and furnace; 4 room bungalow; full lot and garage. $2900, $550 down.

EAST PART—6-room modern bungalow. Three bedrooms; full concrete basement; full lot and garage; faces south. $4,000. $500 down, balance $50 per month.

NORTHEAST—4-room bungalow; part modern; on full lot. $2,000, $700 down.

NORTH MAIN—6-room all modern bungalow. Has many built-in features; breakfast nook; full concrete basement; full lot and garage; faces east; plenty of shade. $4,600. $2,000.00 down.

NORTHWEST—6-room all modern; on full lot, $3,200. $300 down.

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Decatur Real Estate Co.
717 GUSHARD BLDG. MAIN 963.

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Brick Veneer Homes

DENNIS SCHOOL DISTRICT.

7-ROOM—New high grade home. Oak finish and floors. Full lot; garage. Might exchange on frame bungalow.

6-ROOM—New airplane bungalow. Oak and gum finish. Elegantly designed. On full lot with garage. Terms.

FRAME HOUSES.

E. MAIN ST.—About 12 blocks out. Splendid 5-room cottage. On full lot. Paved street. Price $3,850.

N. MONROE ST.—New 5-room bungalow. Oak floors throughout. On full lot. $5,000. A regular bargain.

N. JASPER ST.—Near Walnut, splendid 5-room residence with 2 good lots, 90 ft. deep. Price $4,000 with $500 down.

W. PACKARD ST.—Modern 6-room cottage with good 3-room cottage on rear of same lot. Full lot; paved street. Price $4,000, with $1,000 down. Rentals bring in an income of $47.00 per month.

W. ELDORADO ST.—Up-to-date 6-room bungalow. Long living room, fireplace, hardwood floors. Full lot, Heated garage, $6,500.

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N. CLINTON—Bungalow; 4 rooms and bath; full basement; pavement; $2,500.00. Easy terms.

E. LEAFLAND—3 rooms; 3 bedrooms; full basement, $3,700.00.

E. CENTER ST.—6-room cottage; modern; large lot; 3-car garage. $4,000.00. Owner says make offer.

N. WATER—8 rooms; 4 bedrooms; fully modern; close in; will become more valuable rapidly. $5,000.00.

SOUTH FIFTH—5-room modern, garage. Will consider vacant lots in payment. $4,800.00. Terms.

N. OAKDALE—7-room modern home, exceptionally attractive. $6,500.00.

W. MARIETTA—7-room modern home; can be bought on reasonable terms. $3,600.

N. OAKLAND—5-room bungalow; basement; garage; new. Terms. $3,000.00.

B. B. Burns, Realtor
156 S. Water St. Fair. 664.

Attractive Buys

N. Main St.—On pavement, 5 rooms, all modern. In fine condition. Full lot and 2-car garage.

W. Macon St.—6 rooms modern. Hardwood floors. Bedrooms downstairs. Full lot. Garage. Good terms.

E. William St.—5 rooms modern. Practically new. Built-in features. Hardwood floors. On full lot. Terms.

Frank L. Clark
418 West Wood St. Fair. 1949.

Two Good Buys

W. Wood St. St.—8 rooms thoroughly modern. Garage. Can be bought on good terms. Not far out; fine neighborhood.

N. Main St. 1600 Blk.—8 rooms thoroughly modern. Hardwood floors. Good substantial home. On 60 ft. frontage, valuable lot.

N. Main St.—5-room modern house. On full lot. A good buy at $6,300. Terms.

CAMP & EMRICH
202-3 Neustadt Bldg. Main 2544.

TWO BARGAINS

206 S. Taylor—Modern bungalow of seven rooms. Large living room. Dining room, 14x16. Built-in buffet. Dandy kitchen and breakfast nook. 2 bedrooms on 1st floor, 2 on second. Full concrete basement, 2-car garage. New furnace. White enamel gas range, refrigerator. Also all draperies. $10,000. Easy terms.

1435 W. Macon—Dutch Colonial of 6 rooms. Interior finished in gray enamel. Living room 16x23. Beautiful fireplace. ¾" oak floors. Dandy kitchen with breakfast table and benches. Built in cabinets and laundry chute. 3 spacious bedrooms with large closets. Beautiful bathroom. Full basement. Dust proof coal bin. Good garage. This house is on a beautiful wooded lot 40x150 and is priced at $5,500 for quick sale. Easy terms.

M. E. Harvell, Realtor
132 W. William St. Main 8796.

Attractive Homes

W. GRAND AVE.—Two-story, 6-room modern house. A-1 condition. Hardwood floors throughout. Garage and concrete drive. This will not last long at $6,250. Terms.

W. MARIETTA ST.—New 5-room bungalow. Hardwood floors. A dandy house, very complete. $5,500. On reasonable terms.

E. JOHNS AVE.—New 5-room modern bungalow. Built for a home. Owner has left city. Price reduced from $5,800 to $5,200. See this.

DENNIS ADDITION—See the brick veneer Dutch Colonial just being completed. Everything in this house is selected and of the very best. Lot 60x120. Beautiful location. See us at once.

Cobb & Odor
REALTORS.
615 Millikin Bldg. Main 1160.

For Sale Owner

Choice lot in Johns Second addition for five hundred dollars. $25.00 and $10.00 per month.

James O'Mara
123 E. Main St. Main 1208.

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When hundreds of buyers are turned loose by the balmy days of spring, the best bargains will be grabbed in a week. Buy now—you can save money—and get a better house.

NEW BRICK BUNGALOW, NORTHWEST—6 rooms with long living room—26 feet—with fireplace; oak floors throughout; French doors; delightful kitchen with its cabinets and breakfast nook; large floored and heated second story; full lot, south front garage; within sight of Roosevelt High. No. 1185.

NORTHWEST—6-room new bungalow with oak floors in every room. A handsome little home on full lot with east front; terms. No. 1046.

E. CENTER—4-room cottage, all modern; owner has moved away. $500 down will handle. No. 1071.

EAST—$3,850. $500 down and monthly payments will handle a good 5-room bungalow; nearly full lot; garage; just off William; owner leaving. No. 1106.

2 BLOCKS FROM TRANSFER HOUSE—7-room all modern house on full lot with garage; adapted for two families; 3 upstairs rooms; now bringing $80 month; $400 down. No. 1110.

C. N. Gorham & Son
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210 Standard Life Bldg. Main [illegible]

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Full Time City Health Director to be Urged

State Specialist Here Investigating Scarlet Fever Situation—Not Alarming Yet.

It is quite probable that Dr. Nauss, specialist of the Illinois state board of health on communicable diseases will tell Decatur's city council Thursday morning that this city should have an all time health director

While not seriously alarmed over the scarlet fever situation in Decatur, Tom Pitner commissioner of health and public safety, has viewed with considerable concern the steady increase during the last five months in the number of cases of scarlet fever here

During the summer months there were practically no cases but with the beginning of school the disease began to spread

STEADY GROWTH

In September the number of cases reported was thirteen, in October it had grown to sixteen in November to twenty-six, in December because of the vacation, the number reported dropped to eighteen but for January up to this time the number has jumped to fifty-two cases

"Fortunately the cases are of a mild type, said Mr Pitner Wednesday 'but I have come to the conclusion that precautions should be made more stringent and greater watchfulness exercised

DR NAUSS COMING

The state board of health will send Dr Nauss here Thursday Already a representative of the board has been here this week and I am convinced that the state authorities will tell us that Decatur cannot afford to be without an all time health director, one with the training and ability to speak authoritatively on cases which come up

It has been suggested that we close the schools but we do not want to do that if we can possibly avoid it—and I believe we can

PARENTS MUST ACT

"If parents will exercise great care and watchfulness to see that no child with a sore throat goes to school until he is cured and has a physicians certificate that he is not affected with scarlet fever it will help much The teachers will also be asked to watch even more carefully for similar cases

Mr Pitner said that the form of the disease which has been so far developed is of a mild type but the fear of its developing into a more virulant type or of attacking children of low resistive power is causing the health commissioner much concern

Because of this mildness parents do not realize that the children have or have had scarlet fever not knowing it until the children scale often while attending school

MAY BE COUNTY UNIT

The state health department may propose that the health organization be made a county unit with a full staff of visiting nurses and close school inspection the city to share in part of the expense with the county

This is Mr Pitner's surmise but it is based on the discussion he had with the state health representative who was here early in the week

Commissioner Pitner said that the Rockefeller foundation is training young men for just this work and it is believed that one specially fitted for the place could be secured through such an organization

EXPERT NEEDED

"The advantage of having the all time health director is two fold at least said Mr Pitner He will be an expert on such communicable diseases his decision would be authoritative and he can study each case in its own environment being able thus to modify or to tighten the quarantine regulations as he sees the need

Decatur has not had an all time health director since Dr J H Neece resigned from that position in May of 1920 after he had served under John F Mattes then head of the health department for a year

Because of the building of the dam appropriations were cut to such an extent that Dr Neece's salary could not be provided for Later a group of women interested in some of the phases of the health department work, particularly that concerned with the baby clinic raised a considerable sum of money with which to help Commissioner Mattes maintain the health department organization

Whether or not the health director suggestion will be accepted by the council is not known but it is quite plain that Mr Pitner would be glad to see the health organization functioning as it did in the days of Mr Mattes's active work with that department

Dr. L. E. Holden To Beloit Col.

Becomes Vice President on Feb. 1.

Dr Louis L Holden former president of Millikin university and also former president of Wooster college, has been appointed vice president of Beloit college, effective Feb 1

The office is a newly created one and Professor Holden's duties will embrace the direction of finance of the institution

A member of the Beloit class of 1888 Professor Holden accepted the presidency of Millikin university in 1913

LAKE DECATUR AT 610.95 LEVEL

Up Eight Inches Since Monday Night.

Lake Decatur rose to the 610.95 mark over Tuesday night a rise of .45 feet in twenty-four hours The previous day's rise was two inches making a total rise of almost eight inches since Monday noon under the influence of the thawing snow and ice

The ice on the lake is not breaking up yet apparently but a number of long cracks are showing all over the surface and seem to be spreading The break-up is imminent unless another sudden cold spell freezes the lake again

JASPER FATHERS REHEARSE PLAY

To Present "Captain Rackett" At High School

Rehearsals for the play 'Captain Rackett' to be given the first week of March in the high school under the auspices of the Jasper Fathers club are being held twice each week The work is coming along fine and the play promises to be quite amusing Those taking part are Mr and Mrs E G Hoover, Marvin Smith E J Riggs Mr and Mrs Harry Dressen and Mrs A B Curry

Decatur

Straight At Us All.

Congratulations are due John H McEvoy, the newly elected president of the Association of Commerce, for the vigorous way in which he has tackled the problem of helping St Pauls Methodist church to save its property

He makes a convincing talk on this subject He believes in what he is doing

He is not bringing a factory to Decatur nor trying to sell stock in a commercial venture. He has not the usual financial basis for his appeal

He is not a member of the denomination whose property he is saying must not be lost for the lack of a few thousand dollars

Mr McEvoy does not even live in that section of the city

He has no personal interest in the project other than that of a citizen of Decatur who is certain that that church building will serve a useful purpose where it is located and that the congregation which built it should be helped by the community to clear the debt which threatens to overwhelm it

He is right. Decatur cannot afford to see the results of the great effort made by the members of St. Paul's lost to them

Decatur does not want that handsome church building turned into an apartment house nor devoted to purposes other than that for which it has been so painstakingly planned

Decatur is interested in its churches It is interested in all of them and Mr McEvoy's fine example of enthusiasm for the saving of the property for a church of which he is not a member, of looking upon this action as being part of the community work, is highly approved

He rightly says that there are not too many churches in that neighborhood Attendance at St Paul's church services and Sunday school prove that

As a law abiding clean thinking community, as one standing for the right ideals of morality and good citizenship he tells us that we can not allow St Paul's congregation to lose its new church building

He is right and his clear cut, vigorous pleas to the various business clubs that this is now a community job has brought hope to a discouraged group of men and women.

Mr McEvoy is helping them to make a winning fight

MUST GET PERMIT TO DUMP ASHES

Complaint in Council About Filling Up Alley

"Ashes and cinders must not be dumped in streets or alleys without permission from the street department" said Philip Kayser, commissioner of streets Wednesday

"I had a complaint from a man in one of the outlying business districts today, he continued who said that ashes had been put in the alley until the grade of the alley has been raised so that water runs into his store which abuts on the alley

"There are places where we do permit ashes and cinders to be placed but we must know about it Permission to put them in the street or alley must be received from the street department. The streets are not dumps for furnace refuse"

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Harold Gardner, Decatur 20
[illegible], Decatur 19
R. G. Osborn, South Wheatland town[ship] .... [illegible]
[illegible] Medlee, Decatur 49

What Did You See?

C H W. saw at a lodge meeting Tuesday night, seven men look at their watches when the curfew whistle blew

S E saw a taxi cab driver pass at the intersection of East Main and North Water streets Wednesday morning at a high rate of speed without slowing down

S A saw a woman untie her husband's necktie before entering a show Tuesday night and fix it to suit herself

What Did YOU See

Mouse Runs Up Woman's Clothes

Police Sergeant Wood Helps Capture It.

Young man I'm going to faint

A well dressed woman who was standing in line before the box office at the Lincoln Square theater Monday night awaiting her turn to get a ticket suddenly reached down and grabbed hold of her clothes about the knee and with a look of terror on her face limped out of the line and approached Police Sergeant Steve Wood who happened to be in the lobby

'Young man she said I know I am going to faint Something has got to be done immediately I just know I'm going to faint

'Please don't' said Sergeant Wood Just what seems to be the trouble'

A mouse just ran up my leg I'm holding on to it now Oh what will I do' I just know I shall faint' Please do something quick

'Sure you have got hold of it' asked Sergeant Wood

Yes yes and I don't dare to go

'All right just squeeze it tight for a minute and Sergeant Wood took hold of her clothes and at the point where she was holding and between them they squeezed that mouse to death

While the mouse trap was working the woman's husband came in and found his wife in a striking tableau with a big and interested crowd looking on Here he demanded What's going on here"

Just killing a mouse said Sergeant Wood

'Thanks ever so much said the woman I almost died Then she and her husband got back into line

WANT STATE TO PAY FOR VIRDEN PAVING

No Money Appropriated for That Purpose.

A delegation from Virden headed by the mayor called on Frank T Sheets, state superintendent of highways Monday in regard to the paving of the street which is the route of the state bond issue road through that city, Route 4 This route from Springfield to St Louis has been paved for more than two years except that Virden Gap This gap is now pronounced by some the worst road in Illinois and by others the worst road in the world These may be extravagant statements but by all accounts this piece of road is very bad and is the worst obstacle between Decatur and St Louis There are one and eight tenths miles of it therefore it is a sizeable obstacle.

WANT STATE TO PAY

The delegations expressed itself as being willing to pave that piece of road if the state would pay for it The superintendent of highways said that the division of highways is glad to do any thing that it can but it has no money which can be applied to this purpose The original state bond issue law provided that the state should pay for the paving of a bond issue road through incorporated towns with a population of 2,000 The last general assembly adopted an amendment providing that the state should pave through cities with a population of 7,500 or less Virden has a population of 4,680 and therefore the delegation thought that the amended law should apply in this case

NO MONEY

Mr Sheets told the delegation that the legislature had passed such a law, but had neglected to appropriate any money for this purpose The law is therefore for the present inoperative

VOICE PUPILS GIVE RECITAL

Fairly Large Audience at Musical College.

A fairly large audience enjoyed the recital of voice pupils of Mrs Marjorie Landon Kuny of the Decatur Musical college Monday evening The soloists were Misses Marian Botts Gladys Felten Jean Jester Eileen O'Heren and Alta Hight They were assisted by Miss Margaret Duggan reader, and Miss Kathryn Ewing violinist

Miss O'Heren did some excellent interpretative work in her number Kramer's The Last Hour and 'The Cry of Rachel, sung by Miss Hight was especially well received

The next recital given by the college will be on Feb 11 and will be by advanced violin and piano pupils

Contagion

Scarlet Fever—Clyce Richardson 1222 East Whitmer

Scarlet Fever—P D Ross 55 Fairview Place

Scarlet Fever—Cross family 1367 North Monroe street

WARN SPEEDERS OF TROUBLE AHEAD

Mayor Calls Attention to Safety Week.

MANY SIGNING CARDS

Beware of Electric Fixtures While Wet.

'Speeders will find themselves in trouble if they break the regulations on these slippery streets at this time,' said Mayor Elmer Elder Wednesday when asked what he had to say about safety week observation

'We will have several cars out with officers in them to watch for traffic violations, which at this time are particularly dangerous, and those arrested will be confronted with witnesses'

The mayor said that he and two of the commissioners were driving in from the east end of town Wednesday morning and while they were coming they trailed one of the east end busses They found that this bus was being driven on the slippery streets at twenty five to twenty-seven miles an hour The driver was warned

SIGNING CARDS

The mayor expressed regret that no more of the posters on safety subjects were being displayed in store windows and in other prominent places and expressed a wish that merchants cooperate a little more in that way He stated that the cards for the citizens safety council were being signed readily and that he anticipated no trouble in getting a large number to cooperate in reporting traffic violations later on

'It should be understood that that plan is no new one in Decatur' he said It has been in use in a number of cities and has been very successful Our police force is too small to care for all violations and the cooperation of citizens is necessary here and I am sure will be successful

The signature cards were sent out to all schools Tuesday to be given to the parents of children, and a large number of signatures are expected to be secured in this way

BEWARE OF LIGHTS

Don't fool with electric lights or fixtures while in the bathtub

That sounds like an odd safety slogan, yet a Decatur man who is an authority on things electrical stressed that point most strongly in a general conversation after a safety council meeting this week

There are scores of fatalities yearly from just that thing he said Someone will reach out to turn out the light or to turn on the electric heater while still in the bathtub He is standing in water in a filled tub which is directly grounded by the water pipes His hands are wet as is his body probably A faulty switch that would ordinarily be safe causes a short circuit through the wet fingers and the unfortunate one is electrocuted as efficiently as though he were in the electric chair

"I have caught myself doing that thing myself and perhaps all of us have done it unthinkingly' he continued 'It is an unusual warning to make but it is vitally important as every electrical man will tell you

ENROLLMENT 8,354 IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Expect 8,500 Before End of Semester.

There were 8,354 pupils in the public schools Wednesday morning with the gain in the Roosevelt school for the day not included This would probably add five or six more to the total. The high school has 1,09[?] the Central junior high 874 It is expected that both junior high schools will pass the 900 mark the first of next week Superintendent Richeson estimates that the enrollment will be 8,400 next week and will be above 8,500 before the end of the semester The enrollment of beginners was not materially increased Wednesday and more of these will come in next week

MAN BURNED WHEN FURNACE PUFFS

Fred Shoup Confined to Home With Minor Injuries

Fred Shoup 722 North Church street a foreman at the Wabash round house is confined to his home with burns and minor injuries due to a peculiar accident in his home Tuesday night He went to the basement to stir up the furnace fire which had been smoldering under a covering of green coal Evidently there had been an accumulation of gas above this fresh coal and when the fire was stirred there was a puff and burst of flame from the furnace door

Shoup was knocked back on to the coal pile his face and head rather severely singed by the flame and his clothing on fire He extinguished the blaze and was then taken to the Wabash hospital for treatment being brought back to his home later

161 CRACKS IN ASPHALT ROAD

Frank Elliott Counts Breaks on West Grand Ave.

Frank Elliott counted 161 cracks in the asphalt surface of the Grand avenue hard road from Stevens creek to the belt line, Wednesday morning It was the first time for some time that the surface of the road has been visible Mr. Elliott was driving along the road in a wagon Road men say that when the weather is warmer the cracks will disappear

O. B. Gorin Has Trouble Keeping New Straw Hat

O B Gorin president of the Millikin National bank, is wearing a straw hat down in Miami, Fla At least, according to a letter he sent to Louis Haerting, he is wearing it when he is not looking for it It seems that several other men wore the same hat in the mean time In his letter Mr Gorin says

'About a week ago after eating a meal in the tea room across the way from the Rutherford hotel, I came out to find my new straw Knox lid gone and another exactly like it left in its place, only the initials in it were "McL" instead of O B G'

On inquiry I found that a young man named McLoud, from Savannah Ga had taken my hat and left his in place of it Well, the young man had gone to a dance at the Country club and it was two or three days before I got my hat back

LOST AGAIN

'Then a few days afterward I again found I had the wrong hat some one having taken mine at the barber shop I returned to the barber shop and found that a man from Brooklyn N Y had my hat Well I left word that he could get his hat at the hotel office and there I left it

The next morning I asked about it at the office and was told that the hat was gone but mine had not been left in place of it

HAS IT NOW

'After a while I found a man who had taken it through mistake and I got it back But I wanted my own hat I finally took this one to the barber shop where my Knox got away from me

This noon I found that the Brooklyn man had brought mine back and had taken his so now after much tribulation I am again in possession of my own hat I am going to try and keep it

BIRTHDAY GIFTS FOR MISS IMBODEN

Schools Send Messages with Presents.

There were laughter and tears in the office of Miss Sarah Mark Imboden Wednesday morning when gifts in honor of her birthday began to pour in from the public schools There was more laughter than tears it is admitted, and there was not the slightest occasion for grief but the well springs were bubbling quite close to the surface all the time and they quite frequently overflowed Miss Imboden was the recipient of many beautiful and touching gifts They were wholly unexpected by her She knew that the day was her birthday but she did not know that the school knew it and if they did she had no thought of their remembering her in this manner

DENNIS FIRST

A basket of violets and roses from the Dennis school came first and hard upon its heels came a beautiful pottery basket filled with sweet peas from the H E Durfee school Each gift was accompanied by an appropriate message Then came a delegation from the French school with a wonderful basket of fruit which contained fresh strawberries grapes and a half dozen other luscious things The message from that school was in original poem written by the school and sung by Philip Mayer This opened the floodgates and let the tears flow and Miss Imboden's were not the only wet eyes in the room

BIRTHDAY CAKE

From the Jackson school came another delegation of youngsters accompanied by a teacher These brought a large birthday cake studded with candles which formed a large question mark about the center Miss Imbodden jollied these youngsters and asked them if she was not entitled to one candle for every ten years of her age Then she had them guess her age Superintendent Richeson who had just then entered the room surreptitiously whispered in the ear of a youngster seventy Of course that boy's answer rang out above all the others

OTHER GIFTS

The Lincoln school sent a single rose and a wonderful letter The Jasper street school sent a pair of silk stockings and a letter So they came until Miss Imboden declared she was fed clothed and sheltered in a bower of roses This shower of remembrances made a glorious forenoon for Miss Imboden but it nearly disrupted the whole public school office while these gifts were coming

ALLEGED FORGER HELD IN OHIO

Denny Clark Wanted Here For Passing $36.50 Check

Denny Clark wanted here for passing a forged check for $36.50 at the Decatur Dry Goods company's store about seven weeks ago is under arrest in Toledo O and Sheriff Underwood will send an officer after him

The Decatur Dry Goods company is a member of the American Anti-Auto Thief association, as are all the large stores in Decatur The association protects its members against the theft of any kind of goods as well as automobiles offering $100 reward for the arrest of the thief The association traced Clark to Charleston and from there to Ohio

Church Notes

The meeting of the Woman's Bible class of the First Methodist church which was to have been held Thursday with Mrs Wykoff North Water street has been postponed indefinitely

FULL TIME AGAIN FOR WABASH SHOPS

Receive Appropriation for February.

BREAK RECORD AGAIN

Move 3065 Load Tuesday on Decatur Division.

Indications are that the Wabash shops will work full time six days a week during the month of February The appropriation from general offices for expenses for the mechanical department for the month have been received and while the size of the sum may not be as large as in the normal thirty or thirty one day month it must be remembered that February this year has but twenty-nine days There are four Sundays and one holiday in the month

The holiday is Washington's birthday on Friday Feb 22 The feeling of officials of the mechanical department Wednesday were that the amount allowed would allow the shops to go through the entire month without having to close down on a single Saturday However if it is found later in the month that a one day close down is necessary this will be done on the last Saturday Feb which would give the men three days off in a row the holiday Saturday and Sunday

New High Record

Decatur division of the Wabash again broke its high winter record on loads handled in a day on the division Tuesday when it reached 3065 loads just a few more than on another recent day when the record was broken The total cars handled on the division did not reach the record of the previous high day however as the empties handled only numbered 190

However it is loads that the rail road wants to handle and it was the third time this month that the figure has gone above 3000 in a day There was also a total of eighty-four trains handled on the division which is also a rather high figure A lot of this business was in cleaning up the north end

It was Springfield division cattle day and there was almost 100 head of livestock handled into Decatur on the trains The coal movement on trains into Decatur reached 207 carloads and the meat movement was fifty-four cars in itself The grain movement showed up stronger forty-eight cars of grain coming into the city of which thirty-six cars were corn and most of it for Decatur mills and elevators There were thirty two cars of vegetables and eighteen of fruit this being principally bananas and apples Toward this time of the year the movement of machinery principally farm implements grows better and this movement now runs from ten to fifteen carloads a day

Officials of the road and the men however do not expect business to continue steadily at this high peak for undoubtedly a great deal of the present heavy movement is caused by the accumulation and holding up of freight in the extreme cold weather

Railroad Notes

Word was received Wednesday morning from Litchfield that Mrs J D Robinson wife of Wabash Conductor Robinson died earlier in the morning at their home in Litchfield The Robinsons formerly resided in Decatur but have been living at Litchfield Mr Robinson acting as yardmaster at times

In the new assignment of Wabash main line hostlers and hostler helper jobs Wednesday Adkesson and Oliver go the hostler jobs and Darnell and Pinkston the helper jobs

The C I and W had a work train at work between Pool and Blue Mound Wednesday unloading rails

Fred Kennedy who has been night record clerk in the Wabash dispatcher's office has bid in an engine crew caller job at the roundhouse

With the December report of the Pennsylvania system on monthly earnings turned in the figures for the year 1923 show the gross operating revenue to be $741,307,408 as compared with $616,35[?],105 for the year 1922 Net operating income was $83,8[?]9,5[?]8 as compared with $73,403,128 in 1922 The system operates a little more than 10,500 miles of road

D. H. S. SENIORS TO PRESENT "GRUMPY"

Try-outs to Be Held This Afternoon.

Grumpy is the play selected by the senior class of the high school for its class production This decision was reached Wednesday morning when the play committee, through its chairman Frank in Walt submitted its report and recommended Grumpy The play requires a cast of twelve, three being for womens parts The first try outs were scheduled for the auditorium at 4 p m Wednesday

The class also discussed the matter of invitations and a class day program The president announced that a class day committee would be chosen soon

Coach Crooks has issued a call for all sophomores and juniors interested in basketball to report at practice session Wednesday afternoon

Lockers were given out during home room period Wednesday to the students who are new to the building

Pleads Guilty.

'Stormy John Paris pleaded guilty in the circuit court Wednesday morning to a charge of selling liquor and Judge Baldwin gave him sixty days in the county jail and fined him $100 and costs

NEWS FROM THE SICK.

Junior Garrett is ill with pneumonia at his home 2228 North Union street

Mrs Bud Potter 201 Spring street was taken to St Mary's hospital for an operation Wednesday.

SCRAPS OF NEWS

AFTER PRISONER.

Deputy Sheriff Herman Cooper went to Mattoon Wednesday morning after Gus Dickerson, wanted here on a charge of assaulting S L Patterson with intent to kill

GRAND MATRON COMING

Mrs Effie C Watkins of East St Louis Worthy Grand Matron of the Eastern Star is coming Decatur, Thursday Feb 7, for a meeting with the members of the Order in this city Plans are being made for a special program at this time

TO MOVE,

The Smith Electric company is preparing to move from its present location in the Orlando hotel building at South Water and East Wood street to the new building at 141 West Main street The concern will be in its new location soon after Feb 1

14 EGGS 14 CHICKS

Mrs Rufus Hinton of Blue Mound says she has all the other records of spring chickens hatches beat She set a hen on Christmas eve with fifteen eggs One egg was broken On Jan 14 the hen came off with fourteen chickens all doing well and they now have wing feathers She wants to know if anyone can beat that

WATER PIPE BURSTS

A bursted water pipe caused someone to call the firemen to the residence at 1??5 East Decatur street at 8 o'clock Tuesday night The firemen shut off the water and stopped the deluge

DONATES ORANGES

William Stelle of Tampa Fla he is selling oranges donated a sack of oranges to the Boys Opportunity Home and also to the Anna B Millikin home Wednesday

TO BUY OIL

Dewitt county will buy road oil next Friday Feb 1 It is understood that the county and the highway commissioners will join in the purchase and will buy all of the oil to be used in the county at one time

TO BLOOMINGTON

Mrs M E Craig president of the Macon County Home Bureau and Miss Neva Weeks home adviser will go to Bloomington Thursday to attend a noon day luncheon given for all the officers and leaders of the McLain County Home Bureau Miss Clara Bryan is the adviser for this county

GET OUT NOTICES

Tax payers will in a few days begin receiving notices of the amount of taxes each is to pay County Treasurer B F Coffman has a big force now at work getting these notices ready to mail In addition to his regular office force he has eleven extras at work and beside these a number of clerks from the banks help out in the evenings

IDENTIFY ONE OF ASSAULTING PARTY

Recruiting Officer May Lose One Eye.

Earl Smith one of a bunch of men picked up by the police Tuesday night was positively identified Wednesday morning by Recruiting Officer Phillips as one of the men who assaulted him about 5:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon on East Eldorado street

Officer Phillips has numerous bad wounds on his face and head where he was kicked by his assailants and he may lose the sight of his left eye

Officer Phillips said Wednesday that the assault was no doubt prompted by antipathy to the uniform of a soldier as he had done nothing to provoke the assault The federal government may take a hand in the prosecution of this case

ELEVEN PRIESTS ATTEND FUNERAL

Mark Walsh Service Conducted at St Patrick's Church

Eleven priests attended the funeral of Mark Walsh in St Patrick's Catholic church Wednesday morning Mr Walsh was the father of Rev Philip Walsh of Altamont The priests in attendance were Father William Quatman of Sigel Father C C Sandon of Altamont Father F Kissner of Decatur Father Thomas Mulcady of Bloomington, Father Daniel Doyle of Effingham Father J J Cronin of Newton Father Thomas Costello of Arcola, Father P J Beary of Neoga Father Philip Walsh of Altamont and Father J Murphy and Father P J Ostendorf of Decatur

BRUNDAGE RULES ON HEIRS TO BONUS

Springfield Jan 30—(AP)—Children of a deceased service man by his first wife are not entitled to their father's Illinois bonus if his second wife is living and has not remarried Attorney General E J Brundage has held in an opinion to Adjutant General Carlos E Black

In the same opinion the attorney general held that the claim of a second wife of a deceased service man who has not remarried since his death, has precedence over the claim of the mother of a deceased soldier

REPLIES TO BLACK

Mr Brundage's opinion was written in reply to two cases cited by General Black as follows

In the case of Mary F Rogers and Nellie May Hicks it appears that the former files a claim as the mother of Frank H Hicks deceased and that Nellie May Hicks files a claim as the wife of said Frank H. Hicks

'In the case of Audrey Louise Grimme and Walter Fred Grimme it appears that the claimants are the children of Walter F. Grimme a soldier who was divorced from the mother of these children and within four months after the entry of the decree for divorce was married to Irene Grimme who was his wife at the time of his death.'

WATCHMAN'S SIGNAL OFTEN DISREGARDED

John Zeller Suggests a "Sense Week."

NARROW ESCAPES

Claims Women Are Not Good Drivers.

ABC means nothing in the sweet life of the average Decatur motorist except its the first three letters in the alphabet is the opinion of John Zeller, for seven years a watchman at railroad crossings John will not admit that his hair is prematurely gray due to his everyday experiences of seeing persons needlessly risk their lives but he can tell of some thrilling hairbreadth escapes from approaching trains

SENSE WEEK.

In John's opinion Safety Week should be preceded by Sense Week and the motorist taught that a stop signal from the watchman does not mean step on the gas Strange as it may seem, in the eyes of the public the man at the crossing instead of being regarded as a caretaker of safety is looked upon as someone to put it over one Of the thousands of cars that pass daily over the North Main street crossing John Zeller reports that drivers of less than half will put their own judgment of distance between an approaching train and themselves rather than that of the watchman

KEPT LIST

A long time ago when John first started as a watchman, he decided he would keep a list of the numbers of the cars that disregarded his stop signal John's list got so long that he felt he could not afford to buy the paper to keep such a list and he stopped

THRILLING DRAMA

Here is a thrilling paragraph drama entitled The Woman at The Crossing John had an orchestra seat and he relates the incident in vivid language An approaching passenger train A woman in a car The watchman's signal to stop It is disregarded A man rushed out and forcibly stops the car Always in irate voice will ring in John's ear saying this Man" Why did you stop me? I could have been to Chicago by now if you had let me go on

KILLED ENGINE ON TRACK

Another incident happened in the fall which has left its impress on on the watchman although he has seen many similar A man driving a car tried to beat an approaching freight train All would have been well if he had not killed his engine on the track Just as the train neared the stalled car it was pushed off the track by some pedestrians and another tragedy averted

Do we need a Safety Week? John thinks we do

WOMEN POOR DRIVERS

"There is not one good woman driver in a thousand' is the rash statement John Makes No doubt there will be some slight disagreement on this subject but the woes and trials of the woman at the wheel are brought so much to John's notice that he seems pretty sure First there is the woman who is just learning but thinks she knows Many a time traffic has been held up for several minutes because she forgot to turn something on

CHILDREN CAREFUL

Grown-ups could learn something in the line of precautions—if they would watch the maneuvers of children as they cross railroad tracks. They look first one way, then another and finally dash across the track in terror No doubt they always keep in mind mother's last warning, John's be careful when you cross the railroad track At any rate children very seldom disregard the watchman's signal Perhaps it is because time means nothing to them in their care free life

CLASS MEETINGS AT MILLIKIN THURSDAY

Students Make Plans For Chapel And Other Events.

Meetings of the Senior Sophomore and Freshman classes will be held at Millikin University Thursday morning at 10 o'clock Some important matters are to be taken up in all three gatherings with the upperclassmen continuing on their plans for the coming Senior chapels and other matters which fill the immediate future before commencement plans are first started

WEEK OF PRAYER

A student council committee meeting for the purpose of making arrangements for the week of prayer at J M U is to be held at 4:30 Wednesday in Prof Kelso's office. With cooperation from those students who attended the National Student Volunteer Conference at Indianapolis it is expected that the observance of this week of prayer will be made a bigger event than it has been heretofore Many valuable hints have been obtained by the delegates to this conference

The regular student council meeting is to be held Thursday evening at 7:30 This group meets semimonthly in the Alumni room of the University

BABY GIRL BORN TO DAVIS FAMILY

Washington, Jan 30—A baby girl was born to Secretary and Mrs. James J Davis today. They have three other children

MEETINGS.

Stephen Decatur Lodge No 979 A F and A M—Special meeting Wednesday night at 7 o'clock in the Eldorado Temple, second degree work.

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